

COUGAR

Angel
I really, really
like you. You
are a very very
friend of mine
and I pray
my to
a lot of things
you are just
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yourselves
A lot
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you do.
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We're All

In This Together . . .

Angel
Thanks for letting
me look, it is a nice year.
Have a nice summer & I hope
you have fun & a great summer, and don't
forget me

Angel Harrison

To you were a
nice friend is
me a horse we
saw most today
and good luck
the future and
good luck with
the both.

Always a
friend

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COUGAR'S

CASA GRANDE UNION H

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(Above) A football helmet on the grass reflects a big win for the Cougars. (Right) Carlos Hoke, Richard Strayer and Joe Kakar (along with friends) relax inside George Hoke's van. (Far right) Alex Mendizabal, the foreign exchange student takes a break from class to consider his starring roles in "Dracula."



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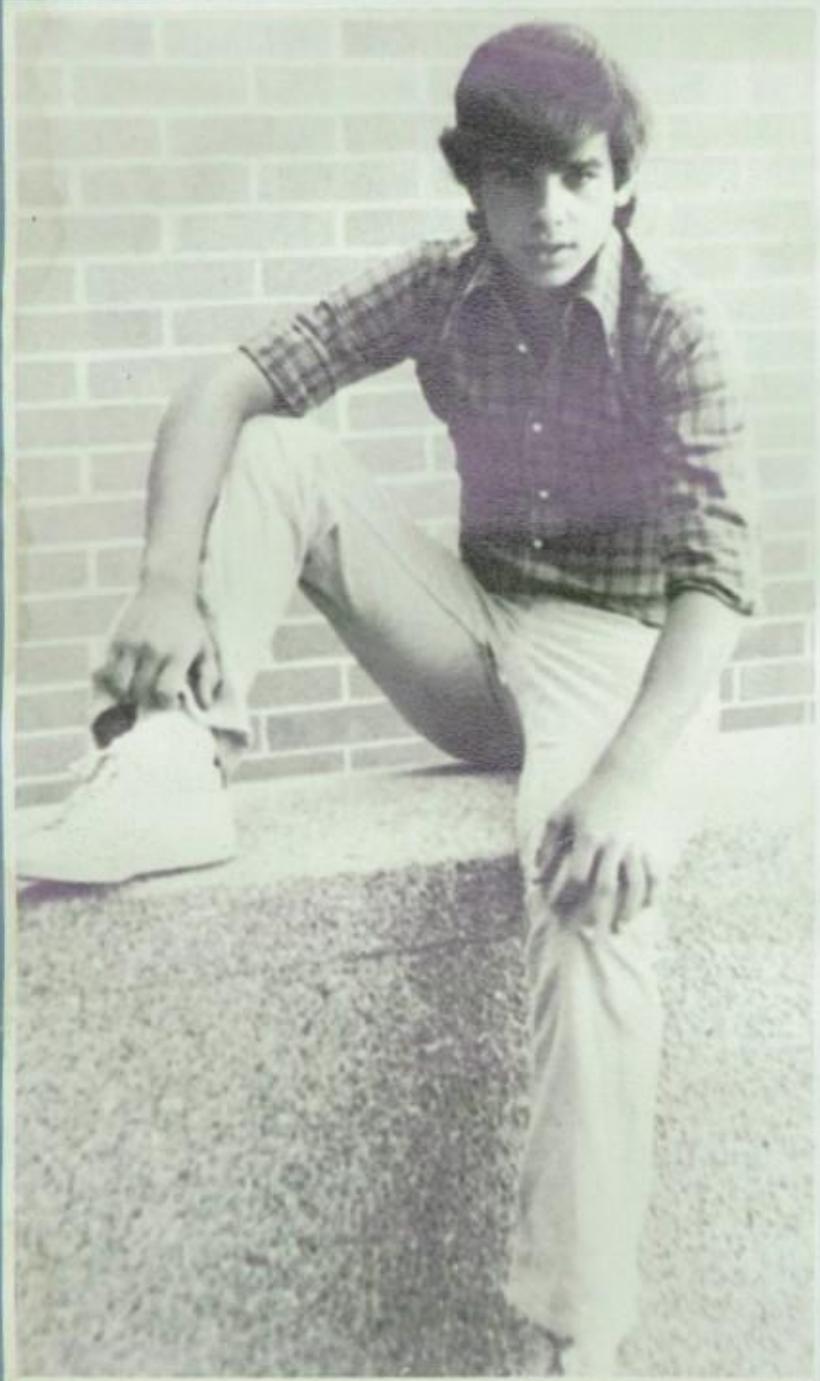
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Together

we can

make it



e're all in this together." Look at it for a minute. It might have multiple meanings. It might even have split personalities. It could mean everyone in something. Let's suppose the Cougar Football team lost an important game. Let's suppose this game was our Homecoming. You'd say "our team is so sorry. They can't even win one lousy game." Well, do you suppose if you went out to one of the games and gave them a little support and encouragement they might feel a little better and might be so determined that they will win? How can the team do a good job all alone? They need our help.

Let's say a club wanted to have a candy sale. Could one person sell all the candy by themselves and make enough money for the club's needs? Of course not! Every club member has to work in order to achieve success.

How about in class? When the teacher walks out of the room while you're studying for a test, doesn't everyone work together to compare their answers to make sure you have them all right? Of course you do. It takes togetherness to accomplish your goals.

It all goes down to one thing.
We're all in this together.
We're all in life together.
That's what it's all about.

In order for us to make it through life we have to have a little togetherness.

WE'RE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER



togetherness.
Where would we be
without it?

Alone.

Loose.

Empty?

What would life be like
without it?

Dull.

Boring.

Cold?

We need togetherness to survive these
days of peril.

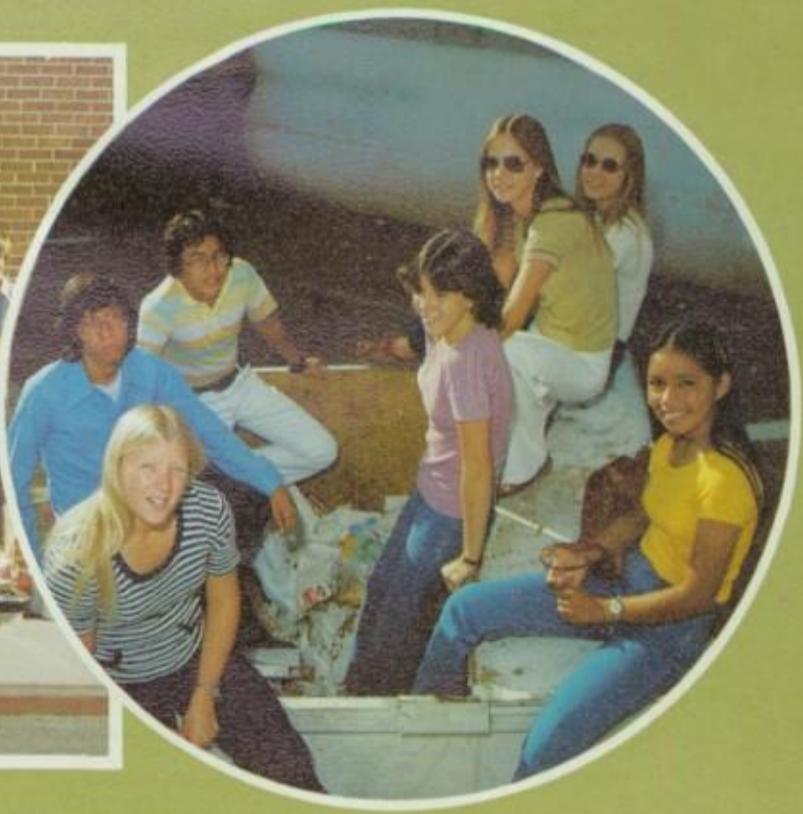
Together we make plans,
eat, drink,
and be merry.

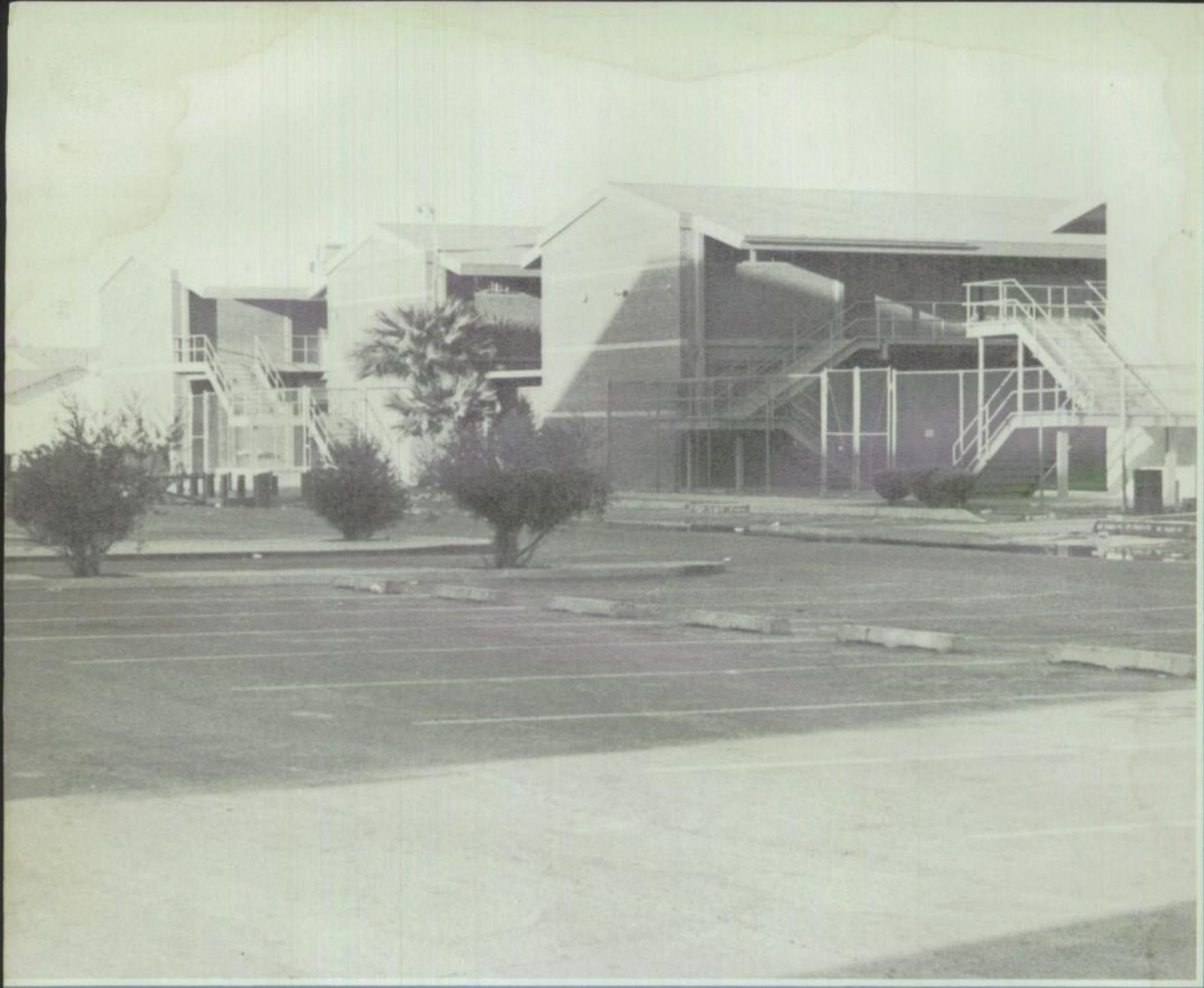
Sounds great! So we get together
to create,
to build,
to live.



(Above) Joe Lassuy score six points against Westwood. (Below) The Cougar Yearbook staff works together to complete the '79 Annual. (Above right) Judd Walters, Kim Clark, Tomi Hardin and Jose Figue-roa enjoy a playful moment in the child development playground. (Below right) The marching band is in it together (Bill Russell's car). (Far right, circle) The garbage can is the local meeting place for some students.







**Direct from the
parking lot
to you**

The parking lot scene is a regular thing each year. The only thing that makes it different is the faces. As years go by we see that different cars appear and the old ones disappear.

But have you ever stopped to look at it from the parking lot's view? How would you feel having two-ton trucks and big cars driving on you all day long? You get rather tired of it, not to mention a little sore.

Do you think you could do the parking lot a favor and walk to school or ride your bike? Not only would this make the parking lot feel better, but this will also do the gas shortage some good. We can always save the gas for a time when we really need it (like for Friday night parties after the game).

Another thing that might make the parking lot feel better, (not to mention the janitors) would be if people didn't litter so much. Actually if they didn't litter at all, the parking lot would quit complaining completely.

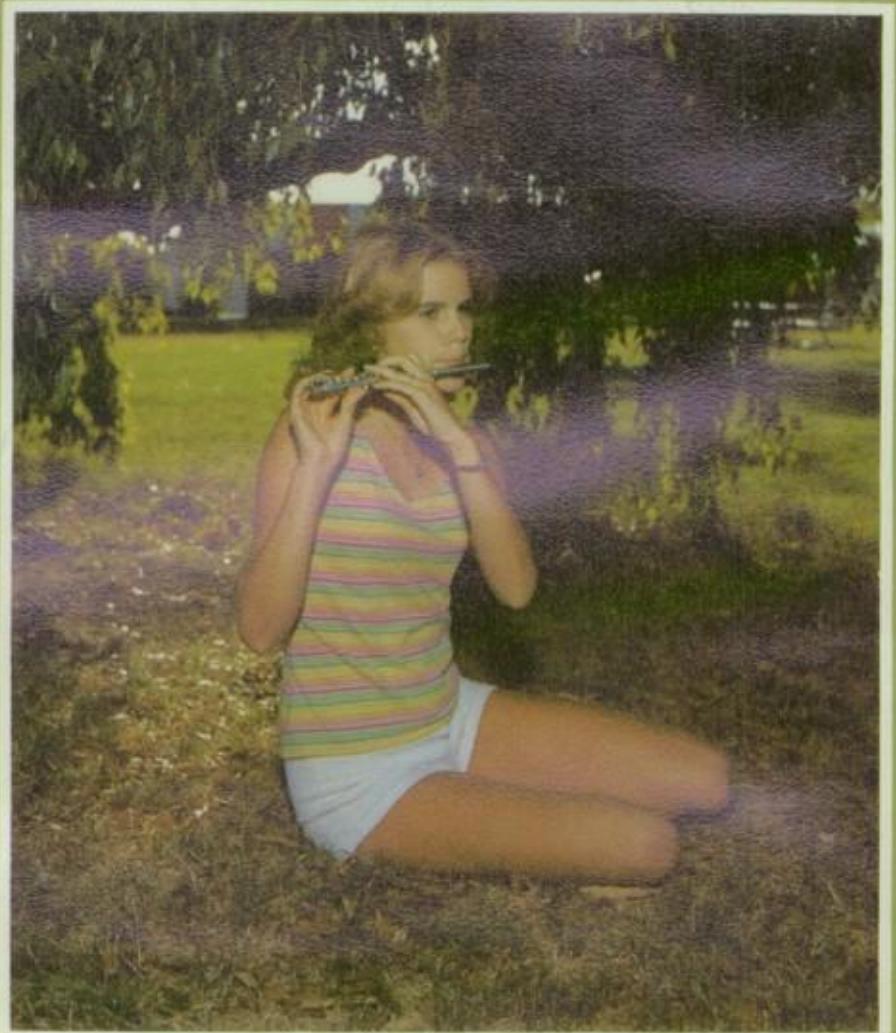
So the next time you're not thinking about the parking lot, stop and think about it. It thinks about you all the time you're not there. What else does the parking lot have to do besides talk to yearbook editors?



HIDEAWAYS

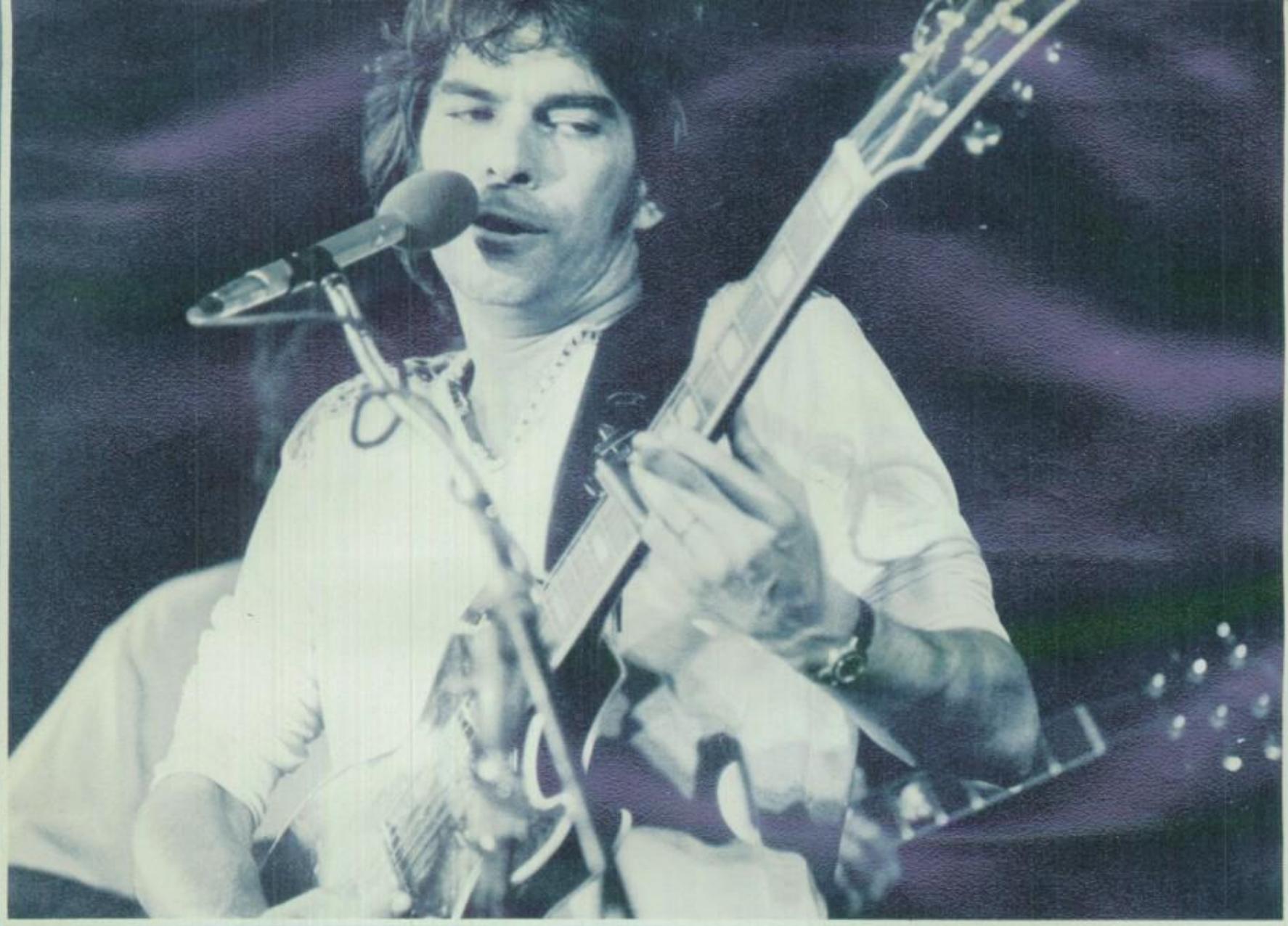
As people get older and farther into life, they generally have an urge to get away from everything. Life's problems can really build up to a point where you just don't know what to do. It's just one of those days where everything is going wrong. You have a test in Economics (which you didn't have time to study for because you had to work until 11 p.m. last night), you forgot to bring in your term paper for Advanced English (which you've had done for the past two weeks but your teacher doesn't believe you, so you fail the semester) and to top that off, you forgot your lunch money so you have to starve during lunch hour when all your friends are munching down on burritos, hamburgers, and fries.

So you say to yourself, "I have to get away from all this." Everyone has a different way to get away. If you're like Tina Anderson, you might go to the pool to relax. Or you might go horseback riding like Mikkel Cavanee and ride as far away from your troubles as you can get. No matter what the case may be, you can always find a place that will suit your need for solitude.

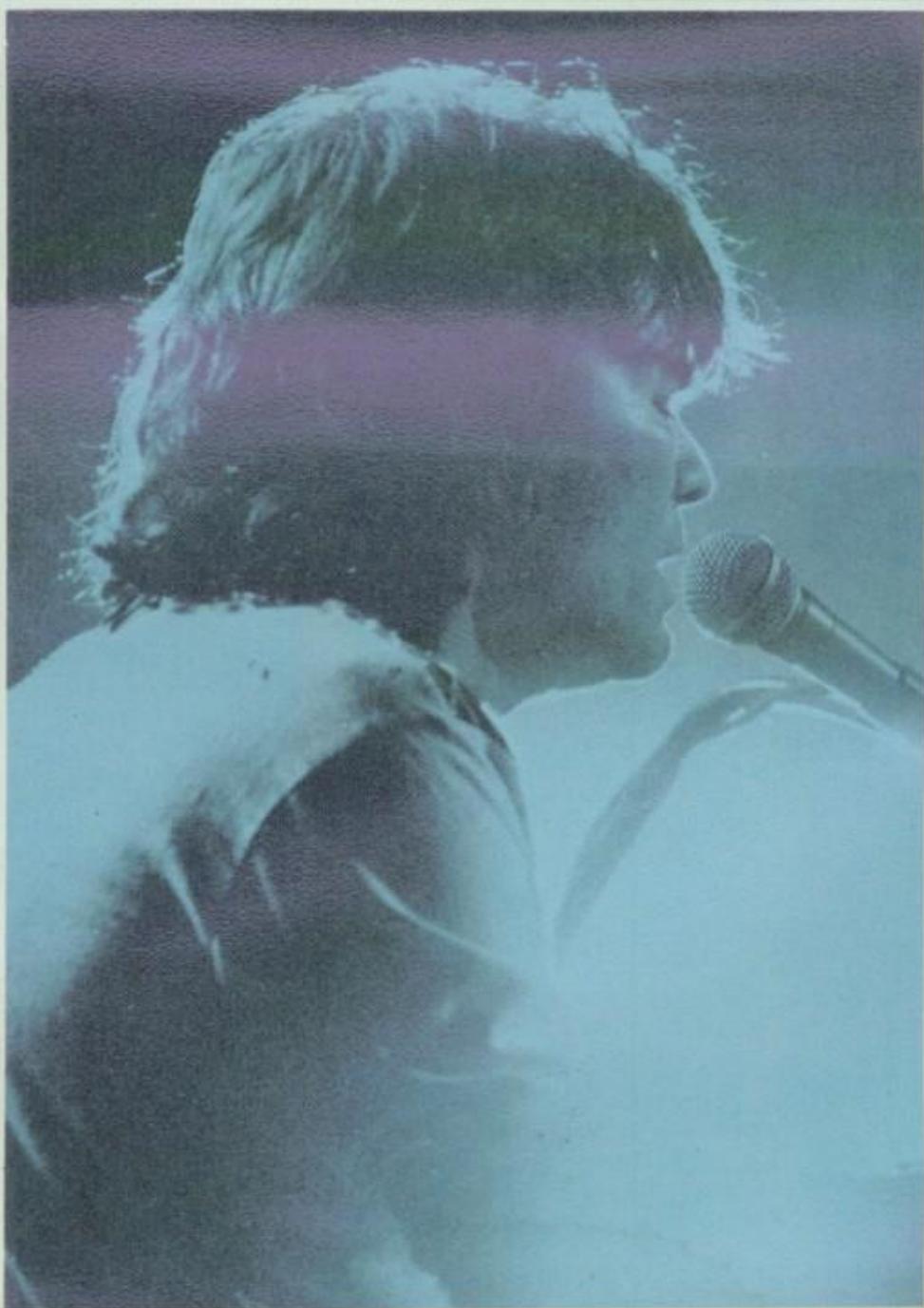




(Above left) Angie Gerkin plays the piccolo to forget about her troubles. (Below left) Rodney Whisenhunt listens as Curtis Mineer shows him where they get away from it all in an airplane. (Above) Tina Anderson relaxes in the pool at Francisco Grande. (Below) Mikkel Cavanee uses his horse to help him escape from life's tensions.



(Above) Jerry Riopelle performs at Francisco Grande. (Right) Riopelle shows deep concentration as he sings before 1600 people. Starlight Productions, which is owned by Pat O'Donnell and Wade Ballard, teamed up with KBFE to bring Casa Grande the concert. (Far right) Noel Kirkland, a local band, performed before Riopelle at the open-field concert.



JERRY RIOPELLE HITS

FRANCISCO GRANDE



nd now! Making his debut in Casa Grande. The one and only Jerry Riopelle!

September 30 will be a night long remembered by many. It was the night Jerry Riopelle came to Francisco Grande.

Riopelle along with the Noel Kirkland band and the Double Shuffle band performed before 1600 people at the Giant's field. From 8 pm to approximately 11:40 pm the three groups played a variety of country and western and a little bit of rock and roll.

Noel Kirkland opened first and played for about half an hour. He was followed by the Double Shuffle band which later teamed up with Riopelle to play two and a half hours straight. Riopelle received a standing ovation as soon as he walked on the stage. He opened by singing *Real Fat*, which is a mixture of country and western.

Riopelle plays mostly in Arizona because he is well-known

here and of course likes the beautiful weather. About playing in such a small town, Riopelle said, "I think it will be great. Playing at an open air concert will be a new experience for me. I'm sure I will have a lot of fun and I hope everyone else does too."

Other tunes by Riopelle include *Like We Used To Do*, *Walking On Water*, *Sweet Naomi* (which he wrote for his wife when he first met her), *Easy Driver* and *Red Ball Texas Flyer*.

After talking with Riopelle, the Cougar Annual found out that he started at an early age. When he was in high school he had a band and they played at parties, dances and night clubs. After graduating from high school in Florida, he moved to California to become a record producer. After a few years of this he decided what he really wanted to do was sing so he got a band together again and became a singer.





Take a break . . .



Another day has gone by and once again you are so tired you'd like to drop. You've worked hard.

You've put up with your teachers who are constantly telling you you're wrong or that you've made a mistake. You've even managed to get through American History.

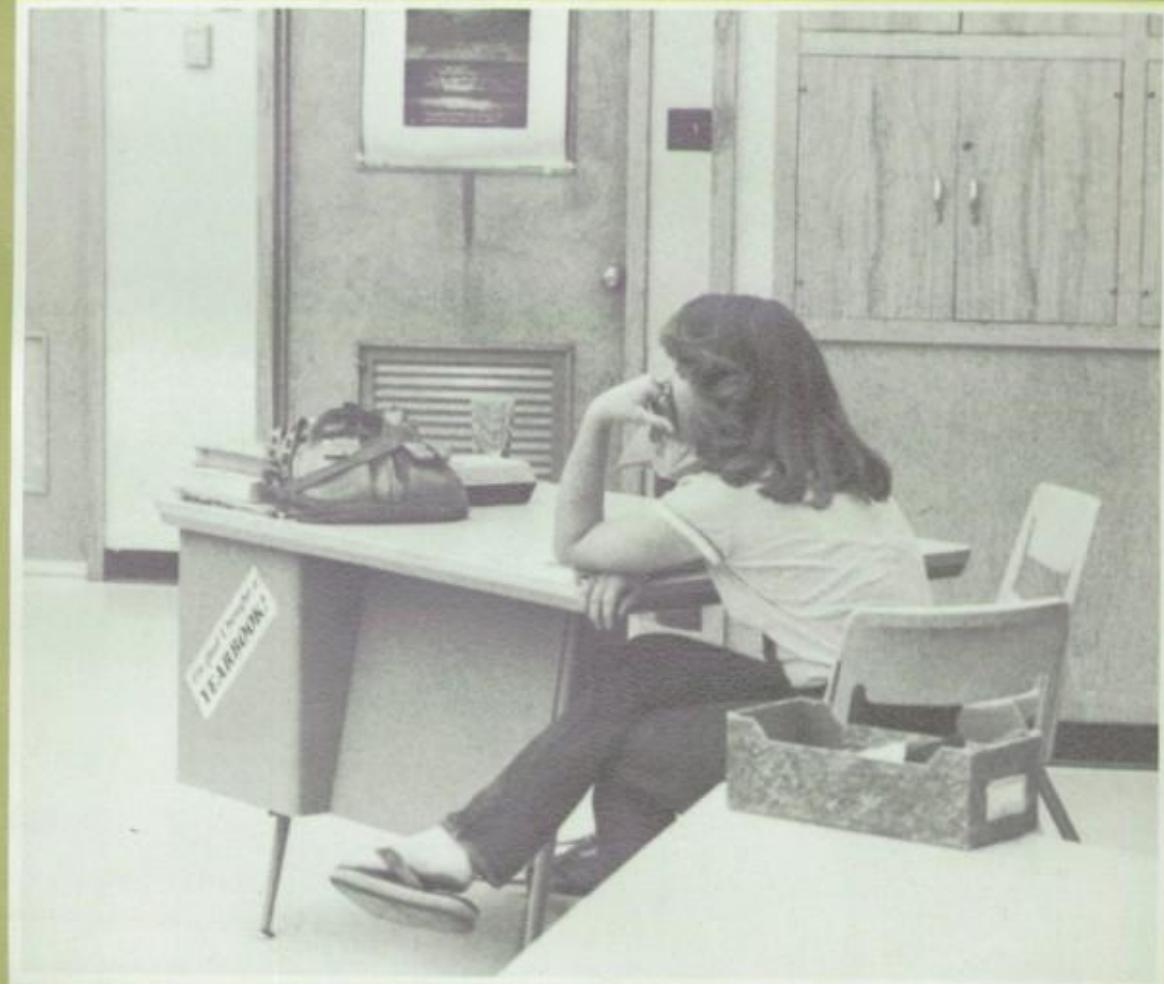
You passed all your mid-term exams (but only by a slim margin) and you even handed in your term paper for English. You know you're tired, and overworked. You deserve a break. So take one, you earned it. If people think getting through

You earned it!

Algebra is easy just because you pretend to laugh at Mr. Frank's jokes so he'll give you a good grade . . . if people think passing economics is easy just because Mr. Mitchell gets sidetracked and talks all hour . . . they're crazy! Life is tough. And school is even tougher (I know you find that hard to believe). You work hard. You have to. Life is no bowl of raisins (or cherries either). So occasionally you need to rest. You should try it. You might even find that you will benefit from it.

You will find that first hour Physics will be much easier after a little rest.

(Above left) Manuel Hernandez, one of the top runners on the cross country team, takes a break after a victorious win. (Far left) Alice Crabbe, a junior, enjoys a relaxing moment during her lunch hour. (Left) A group of guys stand (or sit) and rap with each other before school. (Right) Michelle Hatfield takes a break from her typing which she does for the Annual.



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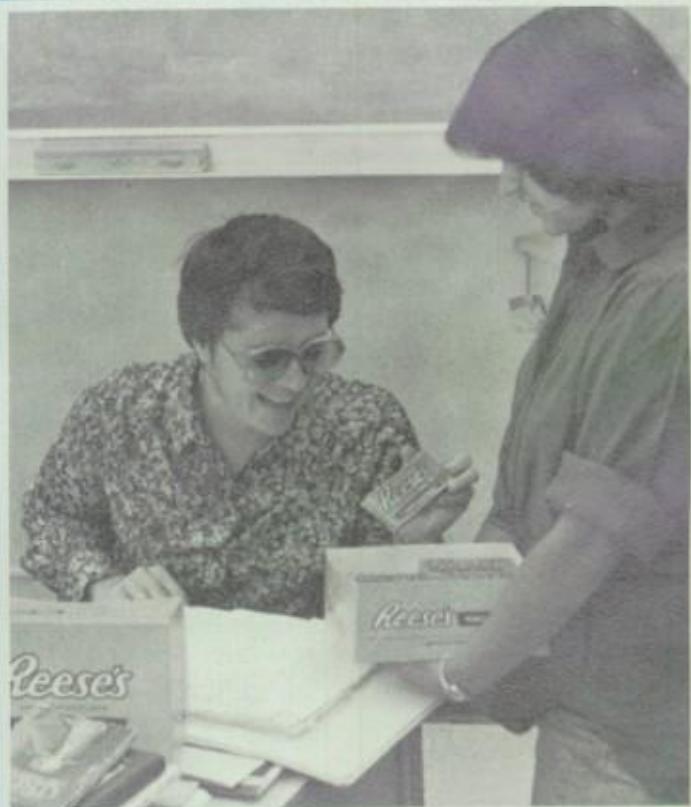
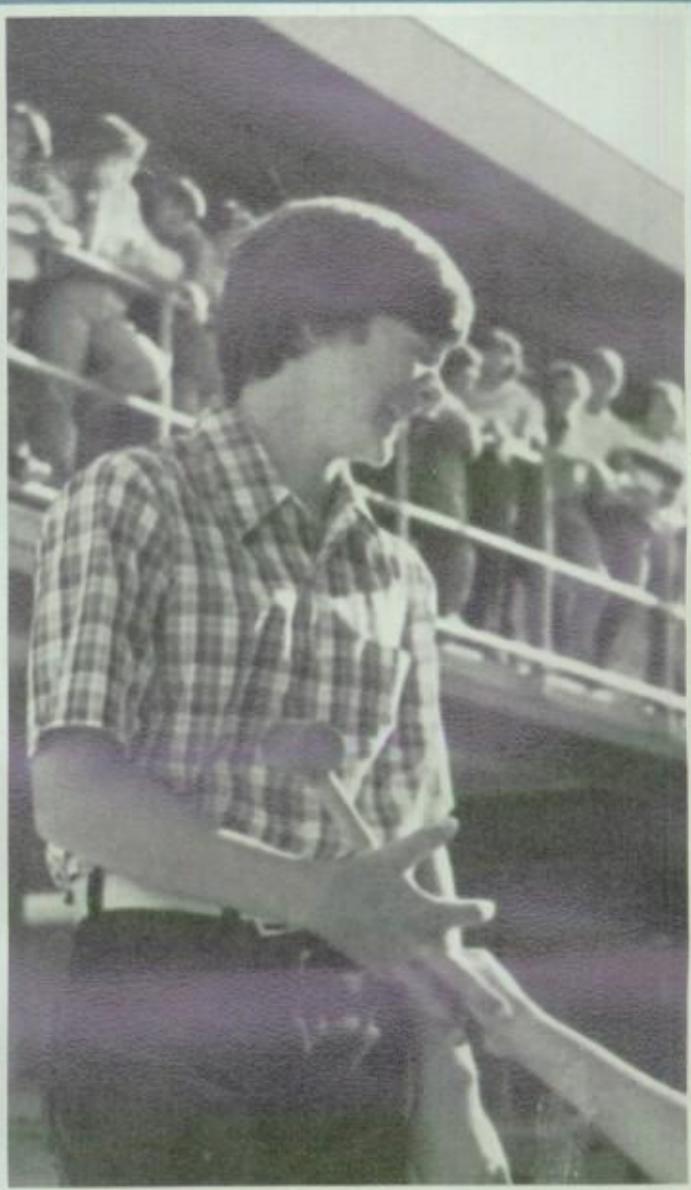
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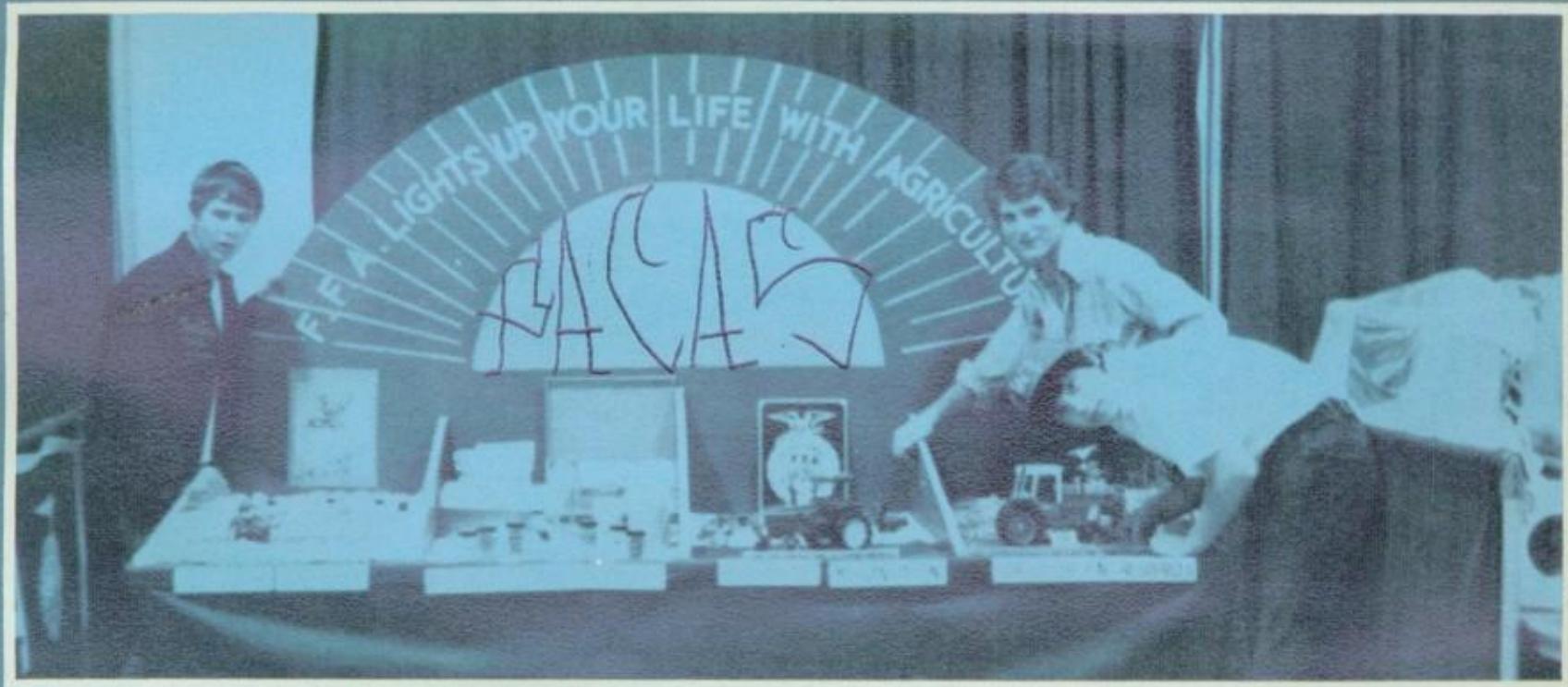
For all the students who took part in this years' groups, it couldn't have been a much more exciting year. If there was one thing this years' groups did was get people involved in their activities. Membership was up. Many clubs have state and regional officers for this coming year.

Clubs were making money like wildfire this year. Clubs sold candy, candy apples, buttons, etc. They even had a bake sale, one club even sold raffle tickets for a turkey. FFA had a Bar-B-Que. The speech team for the first time in CGUHS history held a speech tournament. FFA also put up a booth at the county fair and FBLA helped another club at the halloween carnival. There was an Almost Anything Goes between two clubs, FBLA and DECA.

(Above) Dennis Fitzgibbons is being sold during the annual Slave Day. Many freshmen were sold to upperclassmen to carry books, etc. for one day. (Opposite page, top) A group of guys contemplate going back to class after lunch. (Right) Maria Ramirez sells Reeses to student teacher, Mrs. Carol Powell for FBLA. (Opposite page, bottom) The FFA club entered an exhibit at the County Fair.



TOGETHER IN... GROUPS





(Left) Helen Lopez, Debbie Paytosh, and Marie Scavo prepare to send copies of the **Cougar Growl** to various schools around the country. The staff sends at least 50 copies every issue. (Below) Lisa Braddock, **Cougar Growl** Editor, prepares copy to meet her deadline. (Bottom) Ricki Parker, Tim Hoffman, Dom Magliaro, John Kluver, are preparing to distribute papers to all classes. (Opposite page, right) Joanna Valdez **Annual** Editor, works on spreads which she needs to meet her deadline. (Opposite page, far right) Cathy Cowser types copy which the other staffers have written by hand. (Opposite page, bottom) Yearbook staffers work as hard as possible to alphabetize pictures for the class sections. (Far left) The newspaper staff pastes up **Growl** pages in the classroom. This is a first for them; since they used to do it at the **Casa Grande Dispatch**.



Staffers strive for perfection

Each year the **Growl** and the **Cougar** are put down because "they're so boring." Well, students don't understand how much work goes into making the newspaper and the annual. It takes a lot of hard work, overtime and dedication. Members of both staffs have to do most of the work on their own time and during class, too. "We have to come in at 7:30 each morning, and some times even 7:00. We have to cope with deadlines and the smallest staff on record," commented Joanna Valdez, Annual Editor. "Working with an inexperienced staff was hard at first but as the year progressed they got the hang of it," said Lisa Braddock, newspaper editor. It's true there's a lot of work to be done on both staffs, so next time you decide to put down yearbook or newspaper, remember how much work and time

is put into both of them. Also, if you think you can do a better job, and have the time, you join the staff and get a taste of the "fun."

Three staffers, two from Newspaper, one from Annual attended the Arizona Interscholastic Press Association, (AIPA) at Northern Arizona University in Flagstaff. These staffers include Blanca Alvarez, Lisa Braddock, Newspaper editor, and Joanna Valdez, Yearbook editor.

They were there for 10 days and attended classes during the day and sometimes during the evening. Lisa and Blanca attended classes pertaining with newspaper writing, production and layout. Joanna attended classes dealing with Yearbook layouts, feature stories and dealing with temperamental photographers.

All three staffers worked on the Pine 'n Pen yearbook up there. They had the experience of having a limited amount of time to do a great amount of work.



Student Council: Future Leaders of tomorrow

This meeting will now come to order, the minutes were read and new business was discussed. This is the opening to each Student Council meeting. Student Council is an organization in which they are supposed to represent the student body at the high school. During the year Student Council sponsored pep rallies, a Cougar Convoy to the basketball divisionals in Chaparal and of course the first dance of the year. One main issue that was fought was the new attendance policy. Many happenings went on around the high school this year but Student Council did their best to keep it under control. The meeting will now come to a close, do I hear a second to the motion.



(Top Right) During the Student Council Pep Rally the sophomores are shown pulling away during the tug-of-war competition. (Top Middle) Terry Mumme, Secretary; Pam Zesiger, Trea

ICC show clubs the way



(Upper Left) Grant Walton gets ready to write down an activity on the calendar. (Upper Middle) Terri Acuna takes minutes at the recent ICC meeting. (Upper Right) David Fitzgibbons and

Mr. Bill Frank discuss a motion on the floor. (Above) Joel Henness, Daryl Thompson, Grant Walton, David Fitzgibbons, Kenny Hoar, Mr. Bill Frank, Tucker Mansinger, Bobby Jackson,

Mindy Frank, Ann Ford, Sharon Gaddis, Tarri Holmes, Carrie Dangerfield, Terri Acuna, Denise Navarro, Pam Byrun, Diane Wood, Juanita McCaslin, Julie Fagerberg.

Pep Club helps cheerleaders yell



Branded with the name Cougar Pep section, the Pep Club takes part in helping promote spirit at sports activities and pep assemblies.

The varsity cheerleaders are a big part of cougar spirit. These are the eight girls who get the crowds at games to become rowdy, high spirited and excited.

Last but not least the Cougar band. No matter what happens the band is always there playing the fight song, getting people up in arms and yelling their famous "Hubba" cheer.



(Above) Susi Englund, Janet Chafey, Terry Holmes and Jocelyn Coxon do "Two Bits" for the basketball players. (Upper Right) Martha Van Fossen and

Mary Ann O'Donnell strain their backs to hold up Kathy Blair. (Right) The main problem with the band is trying to keep time with the Cougar Poms.

Deca, Hostess Clubs prove to be valuable

Deca is a club for students enrolled in Distributive Education classes. It promotes the appreciation for the responsibilities of citizenship in our free, competitive enterprise system.

During the year DECA members participated in many conferences, such as the Fall Regional conference, Winter Regional conference, and MDA Leadership conference.

Between these activities DECA members also donated their time and bowling skills for a Muscular Dystrophy Bowlathon.

At the Winter Regional conference CGUHS showed some outstanding competition, Ken Dick, Adriana Cuellar, Mike Pearl and Paul Skaggs; each made finals or better.

The Hostess Club is one of many organizations at the high school. Members had one of the most eventful years ever. They worked at all of the band concerts, chorus

concerts, plays, and Readers' Theater by handing out programs and serving refreshments.

The Hostess Club was rewarded for their hard-working efforts by planning a "show

day" at Mount Lemmon. In March, members of the club went to Flagstaff for a mini weekend retreat. In May, a day was scheduled for ice-skating and shopping at the Metro Center Mall.



(Above) Front Row: Miss Kathleen Markham, Mrs. Sheila Wayman, Janyl Stephen, President; Valorie Stiers, Secretary; Janet Jackson, ICC Rep.; Kristi Jackson, Treasurer; Debbie Gerbig. (Left) John Steele, Mike Pearls, Alice Crabbe, Joe Ledezma, Lisa Knight, Lisa Ethridge, Sharon Gutierrez, Ted Hedington.

AIASA: The Year of Honors

The American Industrial Arts Students Association, better known as AIASA, kept on the move this year. AIASA won the merchant window dressing contest for the club who had the best decorated window at Christmas time. They also donated \$150 worth of goods to the Casa Grande Food Bank during Thanksgiving and they gave their time and services to clean the rodeo grounds after O'Odham Tash. The club also enjoyed attending the Wheel-O-Rama and the Winter Nationals.



Above right: Maria Cardenas runs the AIASA meeting in the Cougar Den. *Below:* (first row, left to right) Susan Daniel, Secretary and sweetheart, Bertha Rodriguez, treasurer, Maria Cardenas, president, Martha Gutierrez, reporter. (2nd row): Raul Lara, Mike Davis, sgt.-at-arms, Mr. David Molina,

advisor; Mike Cooper, vice president. (3rd row) Sammy Garza, Scott Boedecker, Kent Myers, Jeff Verhey. (4th row) Keith Davis, Scott Zesiger, Mel Gray. (Left) Mr. David Molina oversees an A.I.A.S.A meeting.



FBLA: Building a better world in business



"The Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) had a successful year," commented Mrs. Bobbie Thompson. Eileen Ford, president of FBLA said "we've come a long way baby. This year FBLA has been the most active it's ever been."

FBLA started off the year on the right foot. They helped city clubs with their projects. One example is Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority; on halloween night they helped them with their booth.

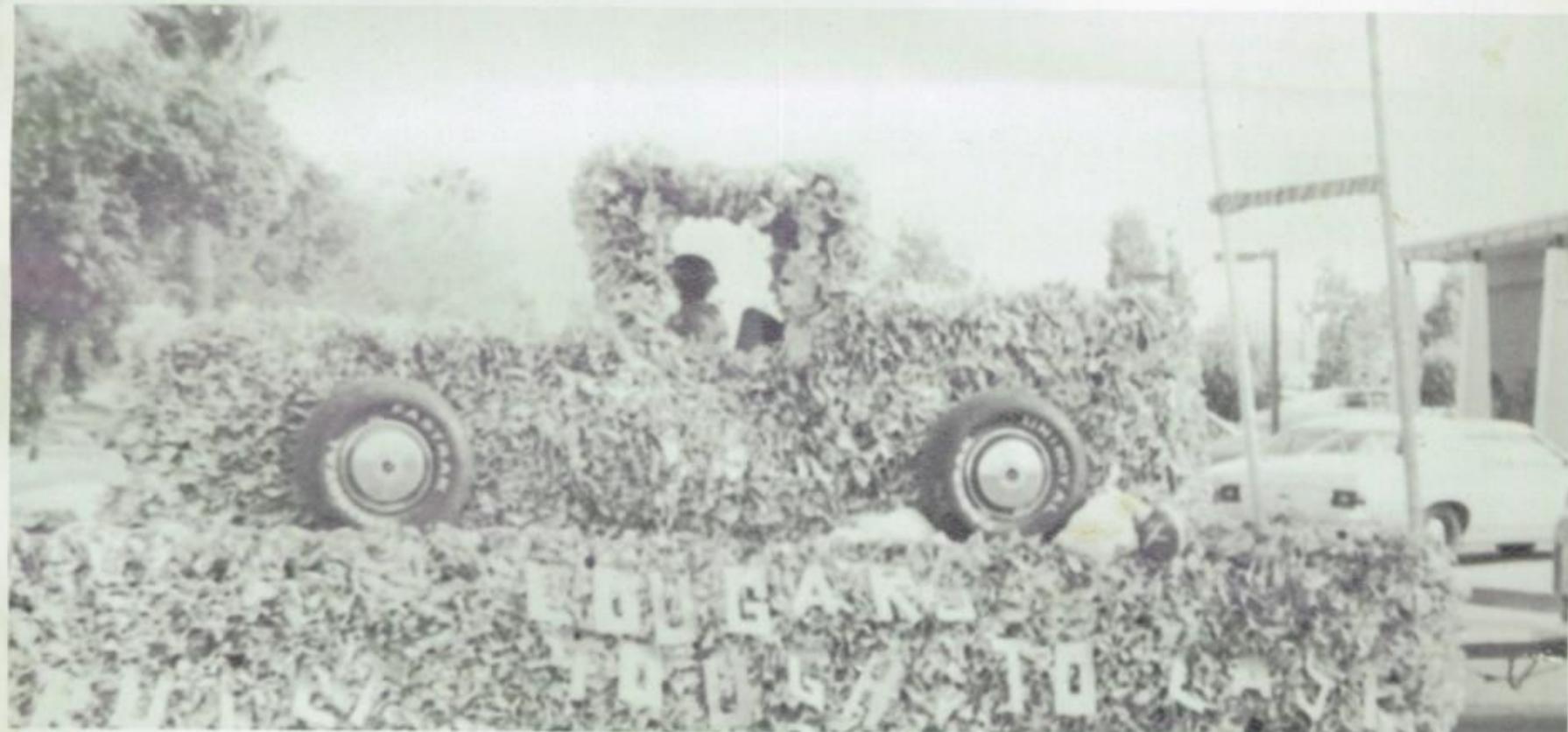
Eileen was heard on "Talk of the Town" over KPIN. For Homecoming the FBLA members built the winning club float. The officers participated in the Christmas parade.

If you think FBLA is all fun and games, watch out! In order for the projects to get done, they need money. They held a dance, candy sales, concessions, bake sale, turkey raffle and Jail and Bail.

FBLA didn't have fun just for themselves. They helped Richard Thomas in his campaign for the March of Dimes.

Every month FBLA honors one of its members who has done a great deal of work with the club.

When asked who could join FBLA, Eileen replied, "anyone who is taking a business course."



FFA plows away

Future Farmers of America is a National organization of active members enrolled in vocational agriculture. They plan to enter a career in agriculture or an agriculture related job.

To start making money for the FFA parent member banquet the Casa Grande FFA chapter had a kick off barbecue for the varsity football team.

During state fair some FFA members judged livestock and dairy.

The National FFA convention which was held in Kansas City was attended by Pam Bryum, James Jepsen, Steve Kendal, Melissa Wisner, Carolyn Miles, and their advisor Everett Rhodes in November.

December was a busy month for the future farmers. Some members attended a rifle match in Eloy. On the 21st the chapter had a Christmas party for the children at the Eleven mile corner school. They gave each child a bag filled with candy, nuts, and fruit.

Members such as Jeanea Andriano, Misty Diwan, and Stephanie Wesh showed sheep at the Arizona Nation Livestock show held in Phoenix. Tara Scott also showed a steer.

During national FFA week numerous members had pictures taken which were used in the Casa Grande Dispatch. The chapter also had a potluck to get the parents and members to know one another.

Judging team participates in judging field days during February and March.

To help make money for the upcoming banquet, in March the future farmers had a pancake breakfast and slave auction.

The highlight of the year was the parent member award banquet in May.



(Top) FFA Bottom row: Melissa Wisner president; Pam Bryum, Virginia Barkley, Tammi Shaffer. Top row: Mr. Everett Rhodes, advisor; John Clark, Sen-

tin; James Jepsen, vice-president; Lester Jones, Mike King, reporter. (Bottom) FFA Homecoming float.

AFS, Graphics: Turning people on



"American Field Service (AFS) turning people into places." Twenty-one students from around the world came to Casa Grande over O'Dahm Tash weekend to learn about the Indian Culture. Darren Cooper and Adriana Ceullar are Casa Grande's Foreign Exchange students.

1979 was a busy year for the **Graphics Unlimited** Club. The club made most of the posters for the school plays, posters for the Music Benefit, and they made the posters and shirts for Reader's Theater. The club is in the process of trying to raise money for scholarships.



(Upper Left) Sunka Simon, Germany; Hernand Medina, Chile; Margie Saint, Australia, Kathelena Kuka, Austria; pose for a picture during O'Dham Tash weekend. (Upper) AFS officers: Lisa Apodaca, Terri Acuna, Nancy Kerns, Mrs.

Maxine Brutinel. (Left) Terri Acuna, Kelly Fitzgibbons, Carrie Dangerfield, Rosemary Kakar, Tiina Antinheimo, Finland, Mel Glotfelty, Gale Hart, Kathelena Kuka, Austria, Anna Kraft, Germany, shout and yell during the parade at O'Od-

ham Tash, (Above) **Graphics Unlimited** officers: Patty Dalton, Deanna McWhirter, Wendy Firestine, Melinda Frank, Mr. David Hasler.

Club spirit reaches all time high

The Mexican-American club is made up of Mexican students of the high school. The club was very active this school year. With all their background and things they did, the club did a good job on their float which received a second place finish. The Afro American club is designed to provide the interest if students in black heritage and their culture. The Afro club is led by Sharon Pinsett as President. The club held a picnic in April plus they went ot CAC for Black Day.



(Left) Mexican American float. (Bottom Right) Mex-Am officers: Mr. Tony Rascon, Advisor; Anna Lopez, Vice President; David Rascon, Secretary; (Below) Linda Glass, Treasurer; Jerri Edwards, Secretary; Diane Hartfield, V. President; Mr. Lou West, Advisor.



Electronics, French Clubs do a good job



The Electronics club is for students who are enrolled in electronics class and who would like to know more about the field.

The electronics club is a club when you can learn a career that may be of help to you in your later years.

Learning to speak French and learn all about the French culture is what is what the French Club is all about.

The club has been active in many student activities.

(Above) The **Electronics Club** officers are: Dan Simpson, President; Mark Misunas, Vice President; Roger Kenyon, Secretary; Jay Hagstrom, Treasurer; Sammy Duenez, Sergeant-at-Arms; Bob Hardin, ICC Representative. (Left) The **French Club** officers: Darren Cooper, President; Robin Thompson, Vice President; Mindy Frank, Treasurer; and Mrs. Barbara Elliot, Advisor.

Cougars get extra Cougar

After the Pan American Club's recent donation, the school Library might easily be mistaken for the jungles of Africa. The library now houses not one, but two cougars, the new addition being a black velvet painting. The painting was acquired in a trip to Nogales in October.

Johnny Randall stated, "In that time, Michele Harrington, Bob Luce, Gayla Phillips, Carmen Fleming and I, went from one gift store of the merchandise. After looking in about half the stores, we found a black velvet painting of a cougar, and decided to locate Mr. Hall and discuss buying it with him."

Mr. Hall was able to bring down the price of the painting to \$10 and approximately 16 club members were found in Nogales and were asked to help buy it.

The club made a unanimous decision to donate the painting of the cougar to the school's Loren Curtis Library.

The Key Club was involved in many activities this year. Among them are concession stands at the football, basketball, baseball games and at the track meets. They helped the Casa Grande Police Athletic League (CGPAL) set up their boxing program. They cleaned up Wilson Pioneer Cemetery.

"The largest project that we participated in this year, was collecting toys for the needy kids. We set up drop boxes throughout the school," commented Rodney Whisenhunt.

The Key Club is a subsidiary of the Kiwanis Club. They helped the Kiwanis sell Christmas trees.

(Upper right, left to right) Stacy Grigg, Kathy Nunes, Tucker Mansager, Christine Nunes. (Middle right, counter clockwise) Johnny Randall, Bob Luce, Michelle Harrington, Joanne Ward, Carmen Fleming, and Gayla Phillips. (Right; left to right) David Fitzgibbons, Gilbert Trotter, Grant Walton, Randy Lessor.



Matmaids, Batgirls lend a helping hand



Baseball players weren't the only ones making homeruns this spring, the 1979 varsity batgirls covered a lot of bases too. They didn't actually participate in the games, but they were a vital part of the team.

Raising money to help the baseball team is the main goal of the bat girls and it is done in odd and various ways. The first money-making project the girls embarked on was a bake sale, which brought in approximately \$80. In their next effort to raise money, the girls found out that the baseball players weren't the only ones who had to stay in shape. They participated in a Jog-a-thon, along with the coaches. Pledges were made for each lap run in an hour, the minimum being ten cents a lap. Junior Sandy Walters made the most mileage, running 19 laps. The girls averaged about 17 laps per person, making approximately \$200. Aside from the fact that many "bow-legged" batgirls could be seen hobbling around school for a few days afterwards, this money-making scheme proved to be a success. Other projects included running concession stands, and selling candy and stationery.

During the games, the twelve-girl team was separated into groups for different duties. Some worked concession, sold souvenirs, and various things in the stands. Other handed out programs, took statistics, picked up bats, ran for foul balls, and just stayed on hand to do anything that needed doing.



BAT GIRLS: (Top row) Janet Chafey, Sue Woodley, Charlene Smith, Lisa Braddock, Susan Shletter, Becky Harris. (Bottom row) Sandy

Walters, Lora Warner, Carrie Fuhlage, Alessa Fullen, Mary Ann O'Donnell, Captain; Terry Acuna. **MAT MAIDS:** Rosemary Cortez, Felicia

"Being a matmaid is hard work, but its all worth it," announced Connie Hernandez, president of the matmaid squad. The matmaids seem to be well appreciated by all wrestlers. At the beginning of the season each matmaid selected a varsity wrestler to spoil throughout the season. The matmaids spoiled the wrestlers by having oranges and gatorade available to each wrestler during the matches. The wrestlers were also awarded huge stockings at Christmas and butoneers before their last match.

Bernal, Rachel Della Cruz, Beth Odom, Alessa Fullen. (Center) Debbie Renner. (Front) Ruth McMahon, Pam Byrum, Carrie Fuhlage.

The Weightlifting Club of Casa Grande High School has over 30 members this year. Mr. Forchetti is first year advisor of the club. "It's been an excellent experience working with all these students this year."

In order to get a t-shirt saying that the lifters have reached their goal, they have to lift in a certain weight class with three different lifts in which they do. They are the squat, bench and power.

The Lettermans Club is also known as the C.G. Club. In order to be in the C.G. club you must have lettered in a Varsity sport. Some of the members already are four year letter persons. In sports such as swimming, and track people can earn their Varsity letter.

The CG Club held a dance this year which they earned lots of money. Every year the C.G. Club initiates the new members. This year was no exception!



(Above) C.G. Club officers: David Evers, President; Betsy Guinn, Secretary; Dean Hudson, Vice President. (Below) Duane Gamez, President of the Weightlifting Club proves how strong he really is when he holds up over two hundred and fifty

pounds of girls on his shoulders. The girls who bravely applied to be in the picture are Dee Dee Apodaca and Rilla Ailes. (Bottom Left) CG Club advisor Jim Russum.





Readers do it by the Book!



(Above) Mr. John Mateja, Mrs. Nancy McEvoy, Mrs. Maxine Brutinel and Mr. Dean Irgens, reading teachers, proudly display their new shirts, "readers do it

by the book", which were made to promote the Title I reading program.

Mu Alpha Theta is commonly referred to as the Math Club. During the year, each member participated in one experiment. Members also conduct one private project each.

Advisors Miss Maria DeLand and Mrs. Nancy Hebert helped the club organize a math contest in March.

Mu Alpha Theta is affiliated with a national organization.

National Honor Society had scholarships at the end of the year to one lucky senior. As a club they visited the University of Arizona in Tucson, worked concessions to provide money for their treasure. In May NHS held their annual NHS banquet.

In order to be in NHS you have to have good grades, leadership, and have good standing in school.



(Below) **NHS Officers:** Katrina Gibson, Secretary, Ruth O'Brien Treasurer; Pam Zesiger, Vice President; Grant Walton, President. (Above) **Mu Alpha**

Theta Officers: Ed Valdez, Vice President; Jenny Hernandez, Roger Kenyon, President; Barbara Wilson, Dan Simpson, Treasurer.



Speech: The speakers of tomorrow

The 1978-79 school year was a busy year for the speech team.

For starters it was the first year CGUHS ever hosted a speech tournament. It proved to be very successful for Mel Glotflety who resulted in 4th place in the humorous category.

When the speech team competed at Auga Fria, freshmen Matt Fitzgerald and Mike Frazey received second and fourth places, consecutively.

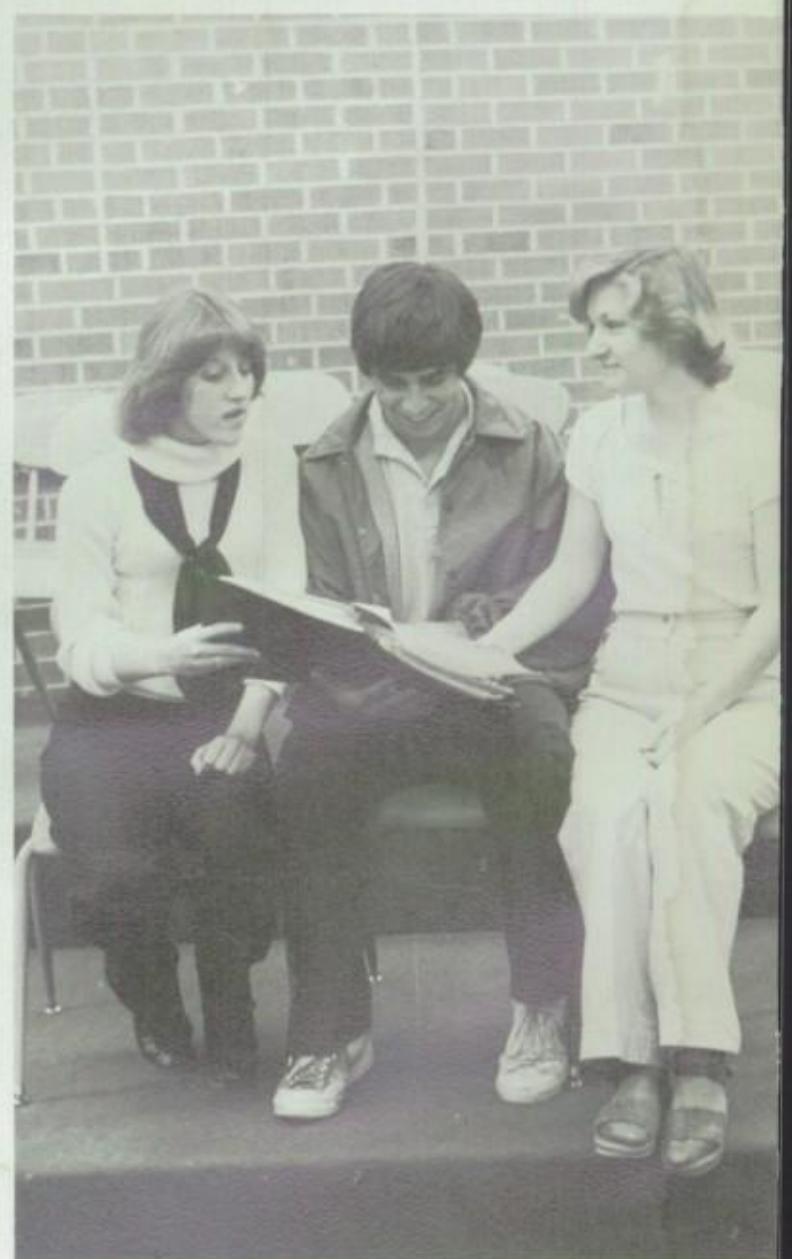
It was also the first year students from CGUHS participated in debate. The teams included Bart and Matt Fitzgerald, Brad Scaggs, and Kris Weatherly. The teams of Bart and Matt Fitzgerald took 1st place at the Brophy Tournament, with forty teams competing.

Tournaments aren't the only activities the speech team participated in. Some members took part in Readers Theater. Lori Kunz, Mel Glotfelty, Jenny Echeverria, Angel Cody, Lance Krouse, Penny Green and Curtis Steinhoff displayed their talents using "The Question" as the Readers Theater theme. Ms. Elaine Bosse directed and Nancy Firestine acted as the assistant director.

The group received much support from the stage crew: Mark and Geoff Richmond.



(Top right) Readers Theater: Angel Cody, Curtis Steinhoff, Lori Kunz, Nancy Firestine, Lance Krouse, and Mel Glotfelty. Not pictured: Penny Green. (Bottom right) Speech Team: Matt Fitzgerald, Lori Kunz, Penny Green. Top row: Lori Todd, Bart Fitzgerald.



(Top) **BLUE NOTES:** Patricia Brewer, Diana Cornelius, Jed Coxon, Jocelyn Coxon, Richard Crockett, Ramon Cruz, Thomas Deall, Demetrius Dixon, Angela Gerken, Steve Gater, Mel Glotflety, Milo Hardt, Trina Holmes, Joe Lassuy, Kristy Lunt, David Miller, John Neish, Ruth O'Brien, Beth Odom, Peter Shaffer, Kevin

Sullivan, David Sundbloom, Robert Tackett, John Testa, Donna Tollett, Tami Truman, Pamela Zesiger. (Above) The Quartet (L to R) Peter Shaffer, Tom Deall, Kevin Sullivan, Mel Glotflety. (Right) Ruth O'Brien, Tom Deall, and Pam Zesiger practice Blue Notes material.

Chorale & Blue Notes singing their way to the top

Blue Notes kicked the 1978-79 music year off with a performance at the Chili Supper. Blue Notes were involved in over 100 concerts this year, 30 of those performed in December.

Blue Notes is a group of 25 top voices in the music classes. They

practiced zero hour under the direction of Mr. Ben Day and again fourth hour in practice for Chorale.

Chorale and Blue Notes traveled to California during spring break for the annual Spring Tour. Besides the Spring Tour the Blue Notes and Chorale performed a Spring Sing.

Blue Notes also performed for Public Service Organizations. They sang at a spaghetti dinner and at a Board Convention for the National Realtors.

Besides all this, during the year, Blue Notes also sang for anyone requesting a singing telegram.



CHORALE: Shirley Avey, Wayne Bonham, William Brassea, Patricia Brewer, Laura Bunnell, Curt Cassells, Tina Clark, Diana Cornelius, Jed Coxon, Jocelyn Coxon, Richard Crockett, Ramon Cruz, Thomas Deall, Demetrius Dixon, Julie Eng, Mary Francois, Steve Gater, Angela

Gerken, Katrina Gibson, Mel Glotfelty, Greg Harasha, Milo Hardt, Joel Henness, Danny Hernandez, Trina Holmes, Mark Horton, Barbara Hughes, Beatic Jensen, Kent Kortson, Joe Lassuy, Kristy Lunt, Rayln McCullach, Mike Michie, David Miller, Sallie Modlin, Teri Mumme, Moni-

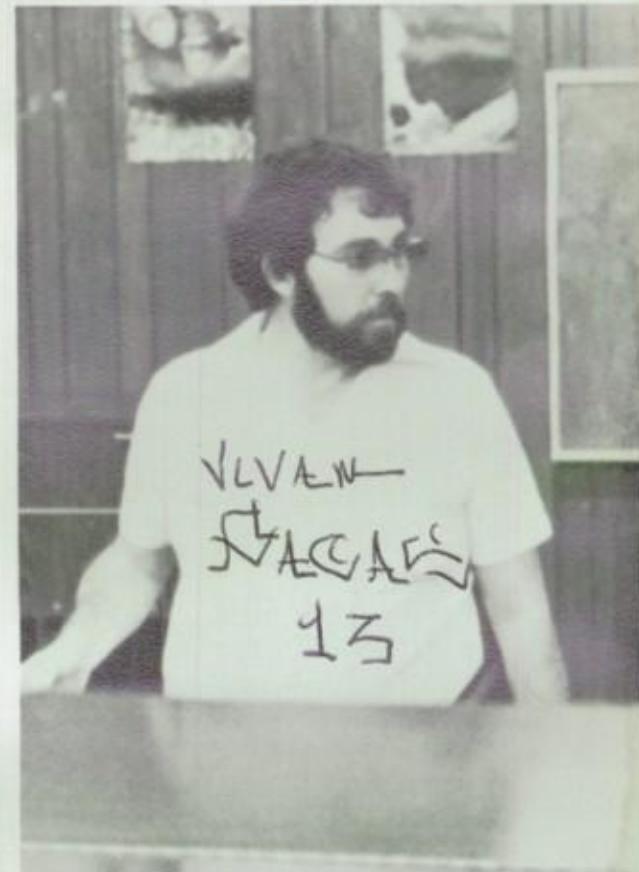
ca Murieta, Karla Nelson, Ruth O'Brien, Beth Odom, Marty Peterson, Tim Russ, Peter Shaffer, Kevin Sullivan, Robert Tackett, Donna Tollett, Nicki Wyble, Pamela Zesiger.

The first year is over as . . .

There were two girls' chorus classes, the first one was first hour and the last one was seventh hour. Boys' chorus met at third hour. The class was not easy. They worked hard and long hours to achieve excellence in their concerts.

The beginning choirs performed at the Thanksgiving concert and at the Messiah.

These choirs are our next step up to becoming a Blue Note or Choralier. Thanks goes to Mr. Ben Day and Miss Shipp for their dedication and skills.



GIRLS' CHORUS (7th hour) Lori Alexander, Tina Beecher, Brenda Bounds, Jackie Bounds, Amy Cleves, Estella Cordova, Jacabed Cuellar, Shauna Elliot, Annaga Figueroa, Linda Fortier, Ermelinda Garza, Paula Giles, Patti Harford,

Diana Hipps, Rhonda Jenkins, Anne Kisto, Evelyn Lewis, Anna Lopez, Shari Loveall, Veronica Martin, Vicky Mathieu, Noelia Mena, Carolyn Miles, Rita Moreno, Patricia Munoz, Carlene Meyers, Lisa Navarro, Carmella Ortega, Earllyn

Osborne, Carmen Perez, Stacey Reed, Denise Reeves, Sue Rizzo, Tara Scott, Machelle Stalter, Vera Sterling, Brenda Tapia, Erma Tapia, Cindy Toler, Rachel Valencia, Yvonne Warren, Annette Withrow, Tracey Wright.

Freshman dream begins



GIRLS' CHORUS: Dorene Anderson, Henrietta Baugus, Christy Brazell, Kim Clark, Angie DiGiovanni, Roxanne Eck, Julie Ewy, Julie Fagerberg, Lisa Gillespie, Sherri Goodwill, Cecelia Guzman, Tammy Harrison, Kelly Hawk, Cynthia Haygood, Lynette Haynes, Deborah Jewell, Kristin Kieft, Rosa Lara, Ann Maire Lucas, Diane Madrid, Alison Manning, Megan McCarville, Debbie McCullough, Laura Middleton, Cindy Misunas, Beth Nowlin, Rebecca Requena,

Jackie Rowe, Louise Sampson, Regina Skinner, Stacy Warne.

BOYS' CHORUS: Daniel Apodaca, Felipe Beccerra, John Berryhill, Gary Bidegain, Mike Brasch, Mark Brashier, Billy Bush, Robert Crum, Jim Davis, Jerry Deall, Joe Ford, Robert Gandy, Paul Garcia, Richard Garcia, David Gaytan, Steve Gaytan, Kelly Giles, Shane Howell, Robert Jackson, Doyle Johnson, Eric Kleinman,

Ray Lawson, Steve Magliaro, Steve McGhee, Ricky Molnar, Chris Nieto, Joe O'Dell, Joe O'Donnell, Kent Odom, Richard Peace, Mike Pearl, John Pryor, Pat Richards, Jamie Shaw, Loren Shelton, Brad Skaggs, Billy Stephens, Robert Sullivan, Donald Sutton, Gilbert Tipton, Robert Tipton, Den VanTassell, Kris Weatherly, Chad Whisenhunt, Scott Winans, Scott Wischhusen.



(Top) **CHORALIERS:** Brigitte Allen, Roberta Ankney, Lynelle Baird, Diane Beeson, Pam Bell, Leslie Bonebrake, Cammy Brazell, Angel Cody, Rosemary Cortez, Jenny Coxon, Delight Cummings, Joann Dick, Brenda Dixon, Kim Faulstick, Tina Fitch, Kelly Fitzgibbons, Veronica Gamez, Carmelita Garcia, Stacy Grigg, Betsy Guinn, Tomi Hardin, Becky Harris, Patty Hasko, Raquell Hudspeth, Heather Jacobs, Annette Kendall, Debra Kromer, Sylvia Lara, Tian McCullach, Chris McGregor, Tammie McNeil, Linda Miller, Sandra Miller, Eileen Misunas, Dawn Nabors, Kally Polson, Mathilda Prieto, Mary Quintanar, Jaema Rodriquez, Terry Scott,

Melody Springer, Janyl Stephans, Laura Tanner, Mary Hellen Tarango, Carrie Taylor, Rosemary Trevino, Mary Wilbur, Debbie Zuna.

(Bottom) **VARSITY:** Thierry Allred, Manuel Apodaca, Marty Bidegain, Lucia Bramati, Robbie Church, Theresa Cleaver, Phil Coons, Chuck Cooper, Carlos Cruz, Cari Dangerfield, Misty Diwan, Jennifer Echeverria, Josie Echeverria, Diana Eiden, Darrell Fullerton, Sharon Gaddis, Debbie Gerbig, Steve Gilbert, Russell Goff, Lori Grady, Carol Gratsy, Maria Harasha, Jackie Harer, Sharon Harvier, Robin Haynes, Terri Holmes, Gary Huckins, Tracy Jaguay, Becky

Johnson, Scott Johnson, Joe Kakar, John Kamouzis, Ellen Kendall, Sharon Kramer, Heidi Lunt, Shannon Macey, Todd Manning, Vicki Martin, Eddie Martinez, Ethel Moore, Cheryl Mumme, Terri Nelson, Matt O'Connell, Anna O'Connell, Steve Ornelas, Ricky Parris, Jerry Peterson, Ronnie Peterson, Charlene Pettigrew, Gayla Phillips, Kelly Prettyman, Neomi Rascon, Adam Rodriguez, Carl Rushing, Shelley Russ, Jeff Sanders, DeeAnn Shelton, Rhonda Stanford, Billy Strickland, Kathy Swearingen, Roger Sweet, Jeannie Vandenberg, Dan Waring, Lora Warner, Kevin Weatherly, Bob White, Kent Wilson, Kevin Wood.

Bands play away



SYMPHONIC BAND: Rilla Ailes, Pamela Bandt, Denise Beeman, Henry Brock, Donna Bunnell, Laura Bunnell, Jeff Burns, Terry Calloway, Scott Carpenter, Martin Chavez, Scott Crawford, Debbie Davenport, Jackie Davenport, Maria Delgado, Kenny Dodge, Susan Dodge, John Evans, Steve Fortier, Angela Ger-

ken, Katrina Gibson, Toni Hall, Maria Harasha, Patty Hasko, John Haynes, Joey Hernandez, Michael Hutchinson, Davona Jones, Lance Krouse, James Laney, Craig Lehman, Barbara Mann, Tucker Mansager, Michelle Muir, Lisa Murrieta, John Neish, Bryce Norris, John O'Connell, Bill Powell, Dennis Reeves, Jaema

Rodriquez, William Russell, Alfonso Salazar, Sean Sloan, Sallie Sonnemann, Curtis Steinhoff, Richard Strayer, Kevin Sullivan, Kathleen Swearingen, Robert Tackett, Sylvia Tapia, Lara Valdez, Reyes Villanueva, Tim Wells, Mark Wisner.



CONCERT BAND: Tony Aguirre, Michael Apodaca, Raymond Argel, Denise Beeman, Donna Bunnell, Terri Calloway, Sylvia Chapa, Raymond Davis, Tony Espinoza, John Field, Lisa Flynn, Michael Frazey, Robert Gandy, Christine Hall, Patricia Hasko, Cathren Heinzel-

man, Joey Hernandez, Dean Herndon, Terri Hovis, Michael Hutchinson, Carol James, Deborah Jewell, Annette Kendall, Kristin Keift, Eric Kleinman, Edward Kuffel, Alonso Lopez, Austin Lopez, Robert Luce, Debbie McCullough, Marvin Newman, Christine Ollerton, Michael Pearl,

Johnny Randall, Karl Repka, Darrin Roles, Gina Sayer, Alan Sells, Perry Trantham, Andrea Valdez, Laura Valdez, Kenneth Van Tassel, Grace Varages, Reyes Vilanueva, Yvonne Warren, Mark Wisner.

Stage Band plays to success



STAGE BAND: Front Row: George Hoke, Jeffrey Burns, Bryce Norris, Second Row: Lance Drouse, John Kluver, Richard Strayer. Third row: John Neish, Scott Crawford, Terri Calloway, William Powell, John Testa, Robert Tackett, William Woodruff. Not Pic-

tured: Carlos Hoke. (Above) Front row: Susan Dodge, Lori Valdez, Terri Calloway, Penni Hochrine. Second row: Lance Krouse, Mr. Mark Louttit, Angie Gerken. Right: Mr. Louttit toots away on his horn.



Poms & Cheerleaders lead in school spirit



Behind every school, there lies a group of girls to play the role of spirit raisers.

The cheerleaders, consisting of eight girls and one guy. Along with the girls Mel Glotfelty had the job of imitating the Casa Grande Cougar. Mel also has one of the best elephant jumps in the entire school.

The Pom pons, consisting of twelve girls have the job of trying to keep time with our cougar band.

May it be a jazz or a spirit routine the girls always seem to amuse the crowds.



POM PONS: Trina Holmes, Betsy Guinn, Lori Kunz, DeeAnn Shelton, Donna Tollet, Sallie Modlin, Leslie Bonebrake, Sylvia Tapia, Ricki

Parker, Josie Echeverria, Tami Truman.

CHEERLEADERS: Terry Holmes, Martha Van Fossan, Janet Chafey, Jocelyn Coxon, Susi

Englund, Mary Ann O'Donnell, Kathy Blair, Mel Glotfelty.

Thespians present dramas, 1-acts

'Dracula' 'Go Ask Alice' 'Dionysus' and 'Pardon'



The International Thespian Society is a lot more than you think. It is the only organization that honors secondary school students for their outstanding achievements in theatre.

Membership gives students the will to participate in theatre activities and can be an important factor in a student's ability to gain admission to a good drama program at a University.

Each year, the International Thespian Society offers many scholarships to its most outstanding members who plan to continue their theatre training in a college or professional school.

It's more than just the publisher of the oldest theatre magazine in America, '**Dramatics**.' **Dramatics** is the only magazine dedicated to helping people do theatre better and appreciate it.

It is the sponsor of the International Theatre Arts Conference which attracts more than 2300 people to workshops, productions and presentations.

It's more than just the oldest and largest service oriented theatre organization in America. More than a million people have enjoyed the honor of Thespian memberships since the Society's founding in 1929. Thousands of Thespians (including, Faye Dunaway, Dick Van Dyke, and Robert Drivus) have gone on to highly successful careers in the performing arts.

But being a Thespian has meant something special to each of our million members. For them, and the millions to follow. The International Thespian Society represents a Collective declaration of love for the Theatre.

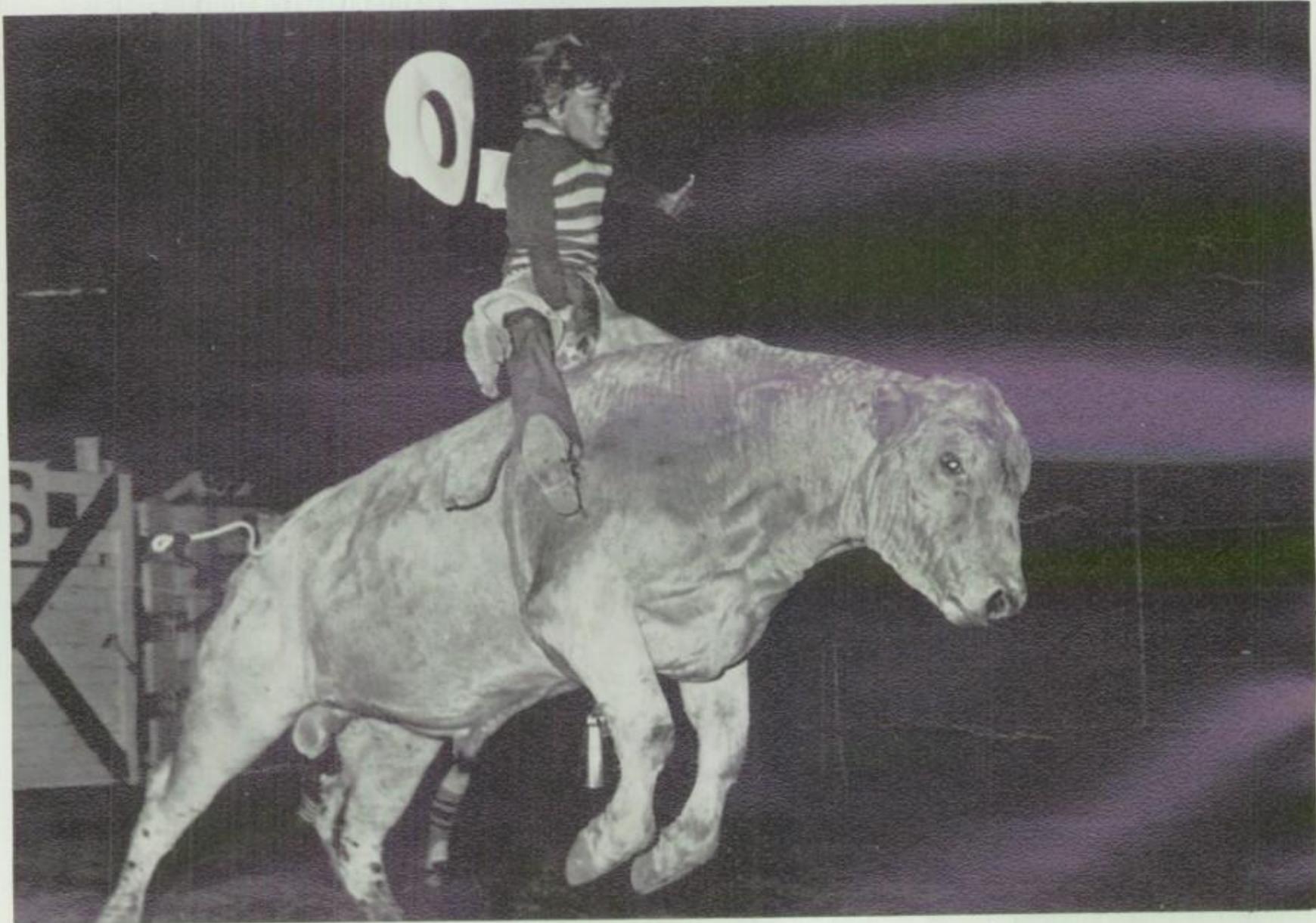
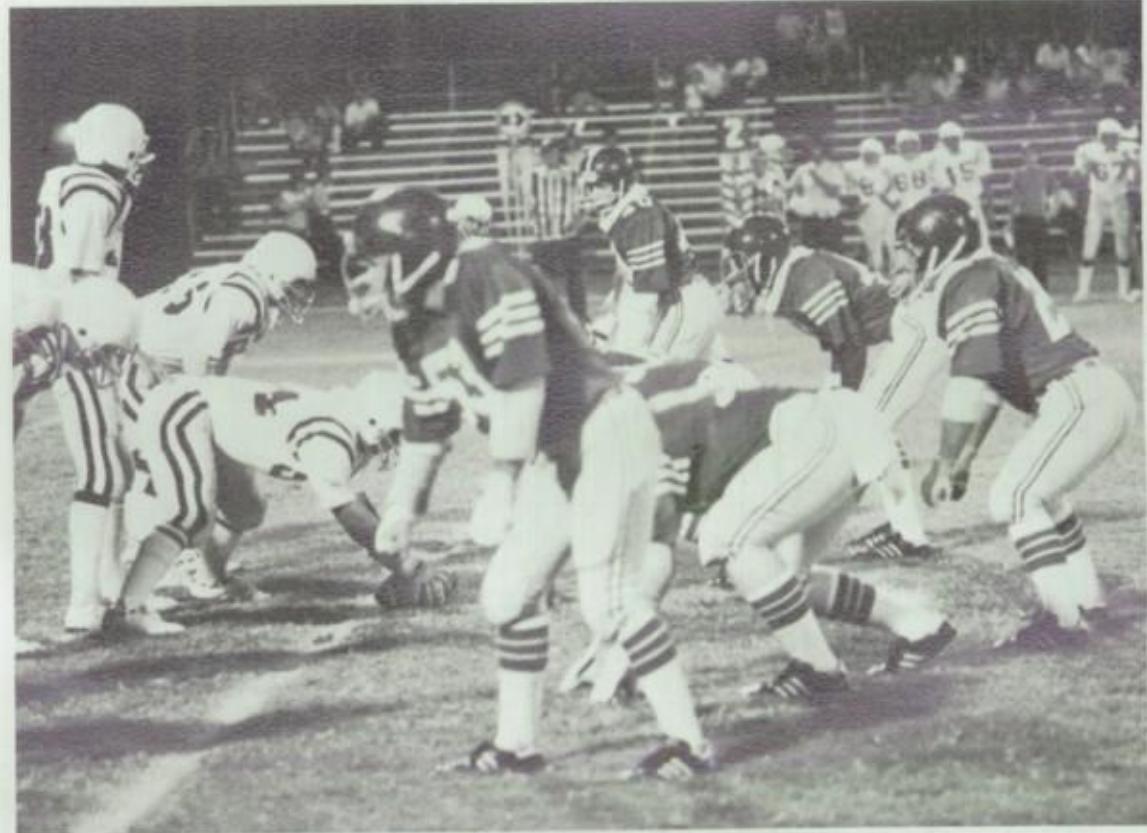


(Top): International Thespian Troupe #147. Top row: Curtis Steinhoff, (Vice president), Karla Nelson (Secretary); Wes Poorman (President); Debbie Scavo, Dan Simpson. Second row: Tucker Mansiger, John Fields, Mark Ortega, Kris Evangelio, Kevin Brown. Bottom row: Quanita McCaslin, Alicia Whittington, Mark Desimone, Barb Testa. Top right: Alicia Whittington is shown here getting ready to go on stage in the fall production of Woody Allen's *Dionysus*. Bottom: Sneak shot of Kris Evangelio, Mark Desimone and Barb Testa in *Pardon My Second Scene*, shown with *Dionysus* this fall.



(Top) Chris Evangelo shows everyone who is God of the theatre. (Middle left) Thespians are all laughs, they started their pyramid from the top down. (Middle right) Curtis Steinhoff puts finishing touches on cast member during the Winter comedies. (Left) The chorus for the play Dionysus listens eagerly and wait for their lines. (Above) Amy Cleaves caught without her makeup.

WE'RE ALL IN



THIS



TOGETHER IN • • • SPORTS



sports took on a new look this season. Many new coaches were added to the staff. The football team had a new head coach, Ernie Forchetti. He resigned his coaching position at the University of Arizona and came to Casa Grande to take over the reins of the Cougar football team. Former coach Jim Russum had resigned in order to take over the position of athletic director. Mr. Forchetti brought with him a new staff. They were coach Ed Genga who came from Ganado, Arizona. Coach Lou West from the University of Arizona and coach Paul Litwinetz from Pennsylvania. The only remaining member from the previous staff was trainer Clint Myers. There were other new coaches this season. Coach Jack Jones took over the junior varsity football team and coach Gary Ellis joined to help him. Mr. Tony Rascon stepped in the middle of the season to help out the frosh lightweight football team after coach Dave Narramore resigned.

The Boys' Cross Country team had Mr. Bill Allen for their new coach. Mr. Dean Irgens coached the Girls' Cross Country team for the first time this season. Ms. Kathy Markham took over the job of coaching the Badminton team and the Girls' Track team. Coach Nancy Hebert took over the junior varsity Softball team. Mr. Stan Groves elected to be the new Girls' Basketball team coach. Mr. Joe Nix stepped up to the position of assistant coach on the Boys' Varsity Baseball team. Mr. Pat McClellan Took over the junior varsity Baseball team. The Boys' Basketball team traveled to New Mexico to play in the prestigious Hobbs Invitational Basketball Tournament for the first time ever. It is the most prestigious tournament in the southwest. Only the best teams can go and that is by invitation only. The team raised the money to go by having a carwash, selling balloons and having a barbecue.

(Opp. page, top left) Freshmen Mike Frazey returns the serve back to his opponent from Mesa. Mike went on to win the match. (Opp. page, top right) The defensive line of the Varsity Football team awaits the snap of the ball on the West High offense. The Cougars went on to romp the team 40-14. (Opp. page, bottom) Chad Whisenhunt tries to hold on to the bull named Hornet. It was in the Fort Huachuca Junior Rodeo. Chad rode the bull and got a score of 67 which enabled him to win the bull riding event. (Top Left) Alvin Brashier practices jumping a hill in preparation for a motocross race. (Left) Jackie Davenport tucks her legs before she goes into a twist on her dive at a swim meet.

Girls' basketball strives to improve

It's just their second season of girls' basketball, but Casa Grande High School is starting from scratch-a new coach, some new faces on the team, and a new attitude dedicated to improving last year's dismal 2-18 record. Stan Groves, the new head coach, isn't making any predictions of the Cougars. "It's difficult to tell because they had such a lousy season last year," Groves admitted. "The players are awfully apprehensive and we don't have a lot of experience. But I guess we're all waiting to see in the first game." There were 9 newcomers dotting the team roster, 8 returning veterans lent their experience and Groves explained everyone is,

"working hard to overcome last year." Judging from the attitude, things are bound to improve for the team. Last year's team was riddled with dissention, according to the players and their former coach, Mike Forslund. That could have accounted for the poor record more than the lack of ability. Coach Groves stated that he expects to "substitute like crazy." He also indicated he'll use a man-to-man defense, while depending on an "awfully conservative" 1-3-1 offense. That offense, he said, is predicted on a patient passing game to try to get the ball inside. The Cougars dropped their first game 55-45 against Scottsdale.

Girls' basketball

OPPONENT	WE	THEY
Scottsdale	45	55
Westwood	39	38
Chandler		
Kofa		
McClintock	59	48
Chandler		
Saguaro		
Arcadia		
Chaparral		
Yuma		
Tempe		
Mesa		
Saguaro		
Arcadia		
Yuma		
Chaparral		
Tempe		
Mesa		



(Above) VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL: (front) Coach Stan Groves. (second row) Roxanne Gallo, Jeanine McCarville, Teresa Jones, Pam Thompson, Helen Decker, Brenda Erickson. (third row) D.D. White, Carla Bunnell, Diane Williams, Colleen Mack, Doreena White, Mgr. Tony Hall, (back) Diane Madrid, Cynthia Haygood, Kathy Johnson, Ruthell King, Lisa Madrid, Mgr. Lisa Apodaca.





(Left) Coach Stan Groves appears frustrated over a call made by the referee.
(Below) Doreena White and Lisa Madrid confer over their offense.

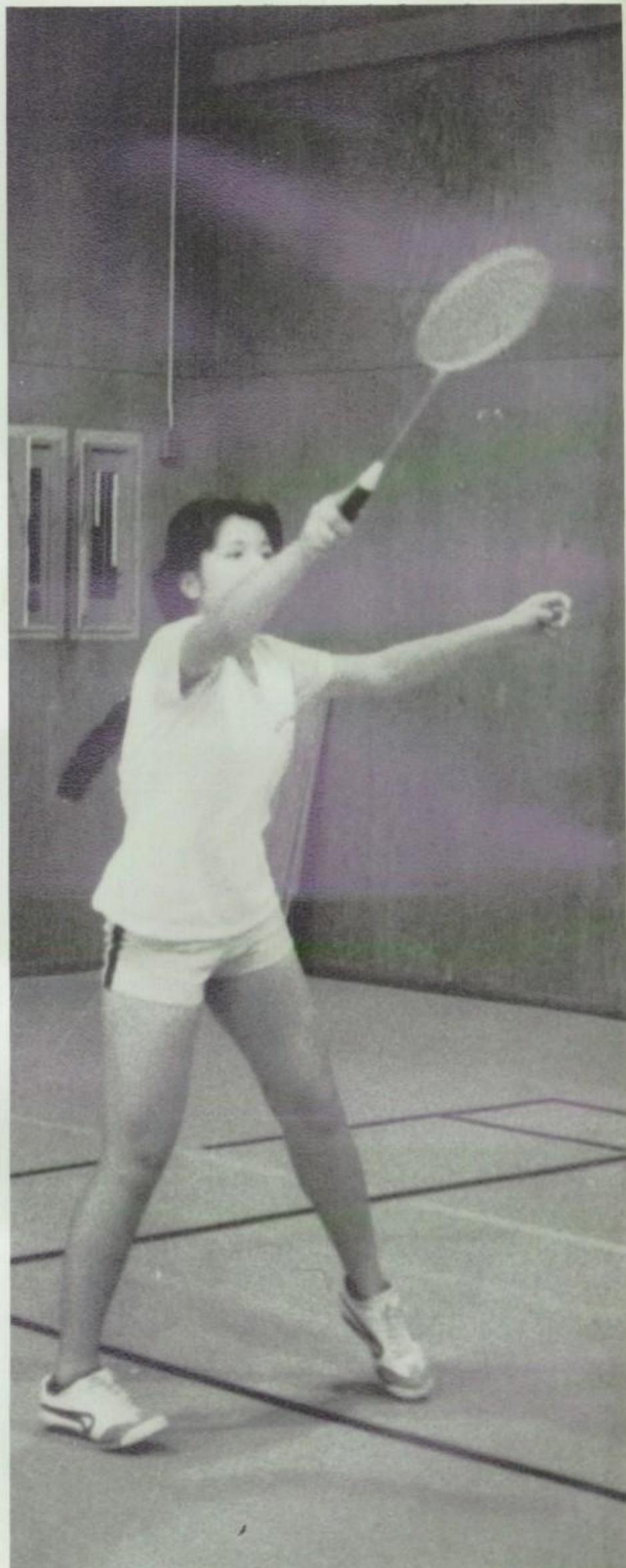


(Above) Cynthia Haygood tries to break loose to get a pass during the Westwood game. (Left) Pam Thompson breaks loose and catches the pass and scored on a layup.

(BELOW) Sophomore Junior Varsity player Brenda Erickson serves across the net to her opponent from McClintock. Brenda went on to win the match.



(ABOVE) JUNIOR VARSITY BADMINTON: FRONT ROW: Brenda Erickson, Anita Garcia, Mary Wilbur. (BACK ROW): Janyl Stephan, Cari Taylor, Gayla Phillips, Lori Curtis, Coach Kathy Markham. (ABOVE RIGHT) Junior Adriana Cuellar slams the birdie back over the net for a score.





(ABOVE) Cindy Wilbur serves the birdie to an opponent.

VARSITY BADMINTON OPPONENT WE THEY

	WE	THEY
Scottsdale	2	7
Westwood	3	6
McClintock	7	2
Marcos de Niza	9	0
Arcadia	9	0
Mesa	2	7
Tempe	0	9
Chandler	3	6
Chaparral	0	9
Saguaro	8	1
Coronado	1	8

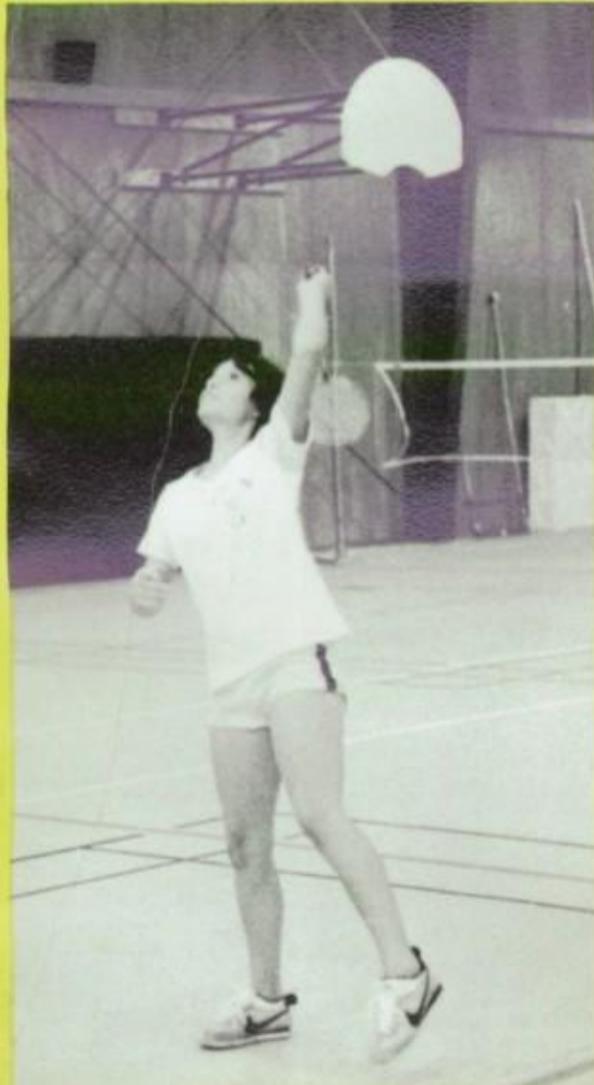
Badminton strives to be better under new coach



ur most exciting match this season was against the Chargers of McClintock. Our Varsity team defeated them by a score of 7-2," commented Coach Kathy Markham. Both the Varsity and Junior Varsity teams ended the season with a 4-7 record which was an improvement from last year's team.

"Our Varsity team went to the Divisionals this season. Teri Leal played the number one slot throughout the year, and she also competed as our number one player in the Trevor Brown Tournament. She was definitely the most outstanding player on the team." Holding the number two position was Pat Hodges. She was a very strong player for us this year. Pat

also went to Divisionals this season. She was our number one player in doubles at the Divisionals. We are only going to lose four of our players because they are seniors," quoted Coach Kathy Markham. "Since we have so many people returning next year, I plan on having a better season. By then they will be seasoned enough to handle varsity competition. I'm going to expect a lot out of our Junior Varsity team because they really worked hard. We practiced like we played, to win. We practiced every day after school since the season began, and I am going to expect the same hard work out of them next season if they expect to make it to the state playoffs," stated Coach Kathy Markham.



(ABOVE) **VARSITY BADMINTON:** FRONT ROW: Teri Leal, Donna Pittman, Sherrie Phillips. (BACK ROW): Carmen Garcia, Pat Hodges, Adriana Cuellar, Cindy Wilbur, Coach Kathy Markham. (RIGHT) Senior Teri Leal prepares to slam the birdie back over the net.

(Right) **VARSITY ARCHERY:** (front) Rhonda Steele, Kristy Lunt, Heidi Lunt, Lori Curtis. (not pictured) Nancy Kerns, Becky Buie. (Below) **JUNIOR VARSITY ARCHERY:** (front) Coach Sharron Lunt, Kim Beeman, Edie Thomas, Nicky Alexander, Robin Steele.



(Above) The archery teams practice their shots on the 50 yard line. (Right) Nancy Kerns and Kristy Lunt practice at 75 yards from the target.

Powerlifting club established Archery sets sights on target

I think we will do well this season in archery competition. Some of the girls improved tremendously over the summer. I will be expecting a lot out of my senior girls especially. It was a real benefit when Nancy Kerns moved back from New Mexico. We lost her last season but now she is back. I will be expecting a lot out of Kristi Lunt also. Not just because she is my daughter, but because she should be a team leader. I'm not forgetting our underclassmen. The rest of the varsity is composed of juniors. They are Heidi Lunt, Lori Curtis, Becky Buie and Rhonda Steele. I know they are going to score a lot of points for us this year. We had a

junior varsity team. Most of them are inexperienced, but they are working hard to improve. With a little more practice, they could shoot varsity. The rain cut down a little bit of our practice time, but it also hampered our opponent's practice time," stated Coach Sharron Lunt.

There was another sport this year that a lot of people participated in, powerlifting. Coach Ernie Forchetti was the promoter behind the sport. He established a powerlifting club. A person had to lift so much according to his or her weight. A t-shirt was awarded to the new members. Several girls participated this year in what used to be a male dominated sport.

Archery

Opponent	We	They
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Tempe		
Westwood		
Mt. View		
Agua Fria		
Chaparral		
McClintock		
Coronado		
Mesa		

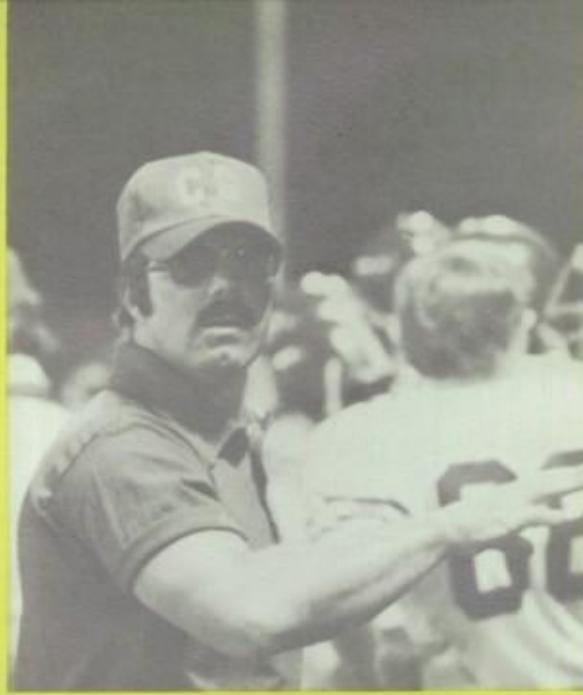


(Above) Senior Nancy Kerns takes aim at the target during practice.



(Top Left) Duane Gamez power cleans 170 pounds in preparation for football season. (Left) Junior Karen Davis bench presses 100 pounds to strengthen herself for the discus competition. (Above) Junior Kathy Burk squats 150 pounds in order to strengthen her legs for the shot put competition.

(Right) Coach Edward Genga notices something out on the field while explaining to the defensive line about their next defense to use in the coming series. (Below) The West High in the coming series. (Below) The West High quarterback is caught behind the line of scrimmage by defensive tackle David Fitzgibbons and tackle Jason Burk. Jason was the only sophomore on the varsity team.



(Above) **VARSITY FOOTBALL:** (FRONT ROW): Steve Wyble, Orlando Mena, Jim Nicodemus, Manager Jeff Anderson, Joe Lassuy, Derek White, Raul Lara, Mark Horton. (SECOND ROW): Roy Reeves, Randy Lessor, Gilbert Trotter, Tim Wells, Bill Johns, Dave Jewell, Rodney Whisenhunt, Jason Burk, Jim Dixon. (THIRD ROW): Coach Paul Litwinetz, Coach Lou West, Duane Gamez, Ronnie Tipton, Wayne Bonham, Russ Means, Jon Cummings, Kevin Vance, Rae Crocket, Robert Ruiz,

Randy Allen, Victor Moreno, Robert Fike, Coach Edward Genga, Head Coach Ernie Forchetti. (BACK ROW): Greg Horton, Grant Walton, Mike Hallford, Randy Robbins, Don Haygood, Chris Evangelo, Jeff Hall, Monty Montgomery, Gerrie Carr, Daryl Thompson, Tim Fief, David Fitzgibbons, Chester Collins, Curtis Mineer, Elmer Makil. (NOT PICTURED): Bruce Pederson, Manager Herb Webster, Trainer Coach Clint Myers. (ABOVE RIGHT) This is the Varsity Football scoreboard.

1 Phoenix Union 6; CG 34

A good start for the season. The Cougars dominated the game. The Coyotes only score came on a reverse in the fourth quarter against the second team.

2 Chandler 20; CG 7

The Wolves controlled the Cougars until the final quarter. Grant Walton connected with Randy Robbins for a 66 yard touchdown.

3 Westwood 37; CG 19

The Warriors exploded first period scoring 27 points. Cougars revived with a 80 yard drive and scored with no time left. The second period was all the Cougars. They had 400 yards offense.

4 West 14; CG 40

The team continued its offensive momentum. The defense picked up momentum also. Walton threw 2 tds and ran for 2. The offense had 359 yards that night.

5 Mesa 22; CG 27

It was the high point of the year for the team. Monty Montgomery came in and scored the winning touchdown. The program seemed to be rolling along.

6 Tempe 27; CG 7

After an emotional game with Mesa, the team couldn't get it together. Injuries took their toll. Walton and Lassuy did not practice all week. Tempe had a good game. The Cougars did not perform well.

7 Saguaro 17; CG 15

It was a very emotional game. Senior Joe Lassuy was injured for the season with a neck injury. The team hung in there and threatened to score again, but the team fell to a disputed call by the ref.

8 Arcadia 6; CG 34

The team took out their aggressions against the Titans. The referees made many disputed calls that night, but it didn't stop the Cougars from running all over them.

9 Yuma 21; CG 14

It was Homecoming night and it was disastrous. The offense couldn't move the ball till the final quarter. They almost pulled it off but the clock ran out. The big play hurt the defense.

10 Chaparral 28; CG 6

The Firebirds mauled the Cougars. Since they had been knocked out of playoff contention by the Yuma Criminals, they didn't perform or execute well.

Cougars suffer losing season

The Varsity Football team had a disappointing 4-6 overall and a 2-4 mark in the AAA Central Division's A League. The team was under new head coach Ernie Forchetti. He brought with him a new staff consisting of offensive coach Paul Litwinetz, defensive coach Ed Genga and defensive backfield coach Lou West.

Looking at the statistics, this is how it went. Casa Grande outscored 203-198. They outhrew all others 1,135-808 yards and were only picked off 14 times. The team had a total offense of 2,681 yards to their foes 2,424 yards. The top men in total offense were Senior Grant Walton with 1,272 yards, Randy Robbins with 1,016, Joe Lassuy had 652, Chester Collins had 618 and Junior Rae Crockett had 577. On the defensive side, Senior Duane Gamez

led with 12 unassisted and 106 assisted tackles from his line backer slot. Senior Wayne Bonham picked off 4 passes and Rod Whisenhunt scooped up 4 fumbles. Bonham also led in unassisted tackles with 26 from his corner back spot. In total defensive points, senior Joe Lassuy won the honor although he only played in 7 games because of a neck injury against Saguaro. He ended up in Barrows Neurological Center for a week. He had 184 points. Gamez was the No. 2 man with 137, followed by Randy Allen with 122.

"Our greatest Problem this year was inconsistency. I thought after our game with Mesa, We were on our way to the playoffs. It didn't work out that way. But we were right in the middle of the play off picture until the Yuma game," commented Coach Ernie Forchetti.



(Above) Senior Wayne Bonham races around the end on a sweep. It was against the Arcadia Titans and he picked up 10 yards for his efforts. The Cougars went on to win the game 34-6.



(Above Left) Randy Robbins sweeps around the end after receiving the pitch from Grant Walton. Senior Bill Johns chopped the West defender and Randy ran for a touchdown. (Above) Seniors Dave Fitzgibbons, Daryl Thompson and Bruce Break through the Yuma offensive line and sacked the quarterback. (Left) Junior Randy Robbins is receiving help from trainer Clint Myers and the coaching staff while the defensive team looks on. Randy was hurt in the Arcadia game.

Lightweight Football

Opponent We They

Arcadia	23	0
Marcos de Niza	6	6
McClintock	12	20
Tempe	20	16
Scottsdale	6	2
Coronado	13	6
Chaparral	12	0
Saguaro	41	14

Heavyweight Football

Opponent We They

Chandler Jr. High	16	20
Carson	20	0
West	24	14
Mesa Jr. High	14	33
Tempe	20	16
Saguaro	6	19
Arcadia	36	6
Willis	18	0
Chaparral	12	21

Junior Varsity Football

Opponent We They

Phoenix Union	6	6
Chandler	0	7
Westwood	41	13
West	0	13
Mesa	21	7
Tempe	13	14
Saguaro	21	14
Arcadia	0	39
Mt. View Jr. High	26	0
Chaparral	34	26



(Top) FROSH HEAVYWEIGHT FOOTBALL:

FRONT ROW: Fernando Martinez, Steve Magliaro, Max Everhart, Dennis Fitzgibbons, John Berryhill, Bob Tyler. *(SECOND ROW):* Danny Tipton, Dan Quintanar, Candy Espinoza, Aarron Peterson, Shane Howell. *(THIRD ROW):* Manager Richard Lyons, Gilbert Tipton, Eloy Marquez, Robert Tipton, Ray Davis, Mike Cooper. *(FOURTH ROW):* Daniel Apodaca, Marvin Newman, Robert Norris, Eric Kleinman, Adam Alcantar, Richard Peace, James Payne, *(STANDING):* Coach Pat McClellan, Coach Joe Nix. *(Above Right)* Martin Rascon races for a touchdown untouched against Chandler. *(Above) J.V. FOOTBALL: FRONT ROW:* Dom

Magliaro, Ralph Martinez, Doug Jones, Tracy Jaquay, Kevin Weatherly, Robert Church, Joe Hallford, Dennis Reeves. *(SECOND ROW):* Monty Aldridge, Jose Amaya, David Cavanee, Kevin White, Danny Wallace, Pablo Hernandez, Steve Ornelas. *(THIRD ROW):* Bob Washman, David Apodaca, Rene Garcia, Rocky Tipton, Mitch Crockett, Ricky Espinoza, Dave Scott, Adam Rodriguez, Manager Ben Guetirrez. *(FOURTH ROW):* Don Collins, Martin Chavez, John Ball, Jeff Whisenhunt, *(FIFTH ROW):* Eddie Martinez, Robert Ruiz, Jeff Brown, Jose Amaya. Coach Tony Ellis, Coach Jack Jones. *(Right)* Teddy Hunington makes the tackle on an Arcadia receiver.





(Above) James Payne drags down a West runner from behind and the rest of the defensive line pursues.

Kittens turn in winning season

The freshmen and junior varsity teams had winning seasons this year. The Lightweight Football turned in the best record of all the football teams with a record of six wins, one loss and one tie. They outscored their opponents 143 to 64. "We were a tough team this season and we physically beat everybody we played. I feel that it was team effort that enabled us to have such a good season," commented Coach Larry

Faust about his team. Coach Dave Narramore was relieved of Head Coach midway through the season and Coach Tony Rascon joined the Lightweight staff to assist Mr. Faust. The heavyweight team also had a winning season. Coach Joe Nix attributed the reason for it was because of team effort. Coach Jack Jones lead his junior varsity team to a winning season also. "We had a good time playing this year," stated Jeff Brown.



(Above Right) Joe O'Donnell sweeps around the end behind the blocking of Mike Apodaca. A Cougar back gets tackled a gain of four yards. (Left) FRESHMEN LIGHTWEIGHT FOOTBALL: FRONT ROW: Ernest Kelly, Don Green, Oliver Jordan, Joe Odell, Terry Collins, Warren Edwards, Charlie Cannon, Bob Sullivan, Mike Jamison. (MIDDLE) John DeLeon, Martin Rascon, Tony Guzman, Chris Nieto, Chad Whisenhunt, Andy Espinoza, Al Salazar, Ray Avalos, Ray Torres, Mike Apodaca, Tony Bernal, Terry Grant, Ricky Alvarez. (TOP) Coach Tony Rascon, Manager Darrel Fullerton, Joe Auza, Danny Evers, Joe O'Donnell, Mike Hutchinson, Felipe Becerra, Skip Younger, Teddy Huntington, Steve Whitfield, Ricky Molnar, Mike Feist, Steve Dehon, Coach Larry Faust, Coach Dave Narramore.



Stacy Grigg has a long way to catch up with the rest of the pack in the Mesa meet.



Boys' Cross Country

OPPONENT	WE	THEY
McClintock	25	30
Tempe	30	28
Mt. View	30	67
Chandler	45	46
Mesa	27	30
Scottsdale	15	50
Marcos de Niza	69	25
Chapparal	69	99
Westwood	69	41
Coronado	25	35
Kofa	35	49
Saguaro	35	43
Chandler		
Arcadia		

Girls join the ranks against guys

Girls this season invaded the cross country courses with the guys for the first time ever in Casa Grande. The girls were under the first time Head Coach Dean Irgens. They competed along side with their male counterparts, but were not in direct competition with them. The female Cougars competed with other teams from the Central division to which Casa Grande belongs. Their workout was less strenuous than the guys was, about half the distance and half the time. When asked how he felt about running with the girls, Manuel Hernandez said, "It does not matter to me because I am usually way ahead of them, but some of my teammates were beaten by girls this

season." The girls had some wins though, against Saguaro, Chandler and Chapparal.

The guys faired well in competition again this season. They knocked off number one ranked Coronado in a home meet. But the Dons came back and beat the Cougars in the Tempe Daily News Invitational meet. Casa Grande came out with a number eleven ranking after the meet.

"We worked hard this year to beat everyone we could," stated Louis Garza. This was the first year of head coaching for Bill Allen, a former cross country runner.



(Above) BOYS' VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY: (FRONT ROW: Joe Cardenas, David Rascon, David Jons. BACK ROW: Manuel Hernandez, Louis Garza, Marty Peterson, Coach Bill Allen. (Right) Louis Garza runs some of his four-mile workout around the track at the football field.





(Right) Cornell Johns is trying to maintain his lead over his opponents. **GIRLS' VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY:** FRONT ROW: Kelly Kenny, Yvette Ball, Stacy Grigg. TOP ROW: Coach Dean Irgens, Shawna Elliot, Donna Jackson. (Not Pictured) Yolanda Garcia. (Middle) Kelly Kenny tries to keep up with her Coronado opponent.



(Middle Left) Marty Peterson rounds the curve on the Francisco Grande course to the finish line. (Left) Joe Cardenas leads the pack in the final straightaway to the finish line. (Above) Louis Garza and Davis Rascon are keeping ahead of teammate Manuel Hernandez and the Coronado Dons. Casa Grande finished up with five of the top places.

Swimmers swim year round to get ready for season



stroke, stroke, stroke," coach Jim Quinlan would yell when the boys' swimming team would practice.

"Move your arms faster, faster, faster," he would also yell. The team would practice everyday after school in the heated Central Arizona College pool. Many hours were spent there. Some of the team members practiced at 5:00 a.m. a few days. David Hernandez, John Berryhill and Milo Hardt practiced several times in the morning to improve their swimming abilities. "Boy, that water sure was cold. If the pool wasn't heated, we would have frozen stiff," stated junior David Hernandez.

The team had only two seniors this season. It consisted mainly of underclassmen. Several of the members swam in Amateur Athletic Union competition all year round. That enabled them to be in practice for high school competition. Coach Jim Quinlan was also a coach for the AAU team. The team started off to a winning start. They amassed a 3-1 record after their first three swimming meets. They won their first two meets against Chandler and Arcadia. They lost against Gilbert on their third outing. Swimmers David Hernandez and D.J. Billingsley swam year round and competed regularly in AAU meets.

Boys' swimming

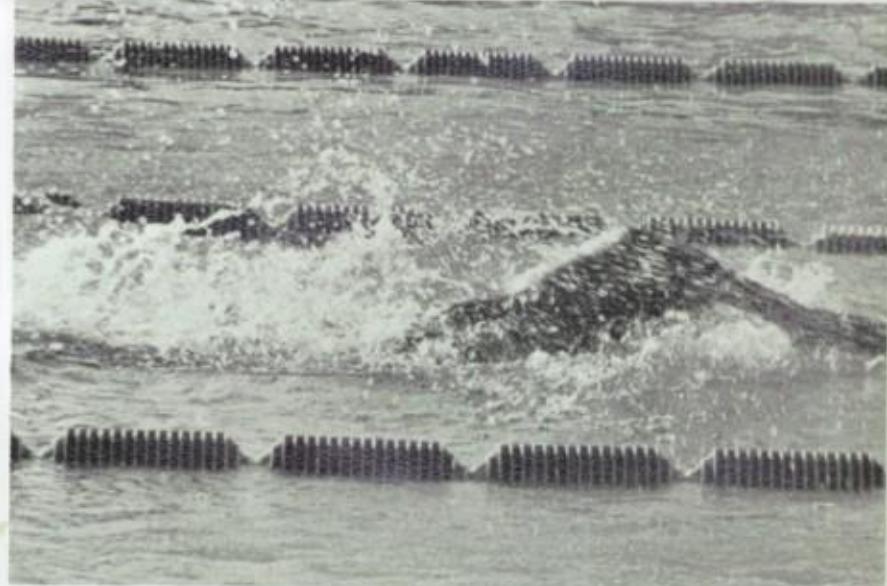
Opponent	We	They
Chandler		
Arcadia		
Gilbert		
Yuma		
Tempe		
Mesa		
McClintock		
Marcos de Niza		
Chaparral		
Mt. View		
Saguaro		



(Above) BOYS' VARSITY SWIMMING:
(front) Joe Ford, Bryan Walley, D.J. Billingsley.
(second row) Ray Davis, Ronnie Peterson. (third row) Shane Howell, Milo Hardt, John Berryhill.

(Back) Steve Valenzuela, Richard Crockett, Max Everhart. (Not Pictured) David Hernandez, Joe Lassuy. (Right) The backstroke team gets ready to start on the referee's gun.





(Top) Milo Hardt competes in the 100 yard butterfly. (Above Right) Steve Valenzuela leaves the starting block anchoring the relay team.

(Above) David Hernandez leads the pack in the 100 yard free style. (Left) John Berryhill keeps pace in the 100 yard backstroke.

(Right) Karen Davis swims all alone in first place in the 100 meter butterfly in the Tempe meet. (Below right) Sophomore Jeanea takes another stroke as she swims one of the legs in the 400 meter freestyle relay. (Below) Senior Kyle Conner prepares to enter the water on one of her dives in a swim meet.



(Above) Junior Jenny Echeverria cuts the water when she hits it after doing one of her dives in the Tempe swim meet. Tempe went on to win the match. (Right) The 400 freestyle relay team rests after winning another of their races. The girls are Jeannie Vandenberg, Eileen Misunas, Karen Davis and Jeanea Andriano.



(Left) Karen Davis, Eileen Misunas, Jeanea Andriano and Jeannie Vandenberg pose for a picture before they go to the state competition. The girls placed fourteenth in the state in the 400 yard relay. (Below) **GIRLS' VARSITY SWIMMING:** (Front row) Sherri Goodwill, Julie Fageberg, Lisa Navarro, Mgr. Delight Cummings, Coach Diane Branstrom,

Kelly Hawk, Lynette Haynes, Susie England, (Top row) Jenny Echeverria, Kelly Prettyman, Denise Navarro, Barbie Fageberg, Susan Keasler, Lisa Flynn, Jeanea Andriano, Karen Davis, Eileen Misunas. **NOT PICTURED:** Julie Anderson, Jeannie Cline, Kyle Conner, Mary Ann O'Donnell, Jeannie Vandenberg, Debbie Kunz.



(Above) Senior Kyle Conner competes in the 100 meter backstroke at a home meet.

GIRLS' SWIMMING

OPPONENT	WE	THEY
Marcos de Niza	105	59
Yuma	95	79
Chaparral	86	85
Tempe	71	101
Scottsdale	81	91
Mt. View	79	85
Chandler	99	71

Relay team swims at State competition

The Girls' Swimming team sent their 400 free relay team to State competition this season. The team consisted of sophomores Eileen Misunas and Jeanea Andriano, juniors Karen Davis and Jeannie Vandenberg. The girls qualified with a time of 4:16.7. After the State finals, the girls walked off with fourteenth place in the state. The team this season consisted of 6 freshmen, 2 sophomores, 8 juniors and 3 seniors.

"The team should be pleased with their performances. They did a super job. Next year will be better with the very strong freshmen group," commented Coach Diane Branstrom.

Many new records were set this season. Eleven old records were

replaced by new ones set by the young 1978 team. The relay team set new times in the 200 yard medley relay.

A new record of 2:12.45 was set. The second relay team set a new school record in the 200 meter medley relay with a time of 2:27. The first relay team also set records in the 400 yard and 400 meter free relay. The times were 4:58.4 and 4:16.7 respectively. Senior Kyle Conner set new school records in 100 yard and 100 meter backstroke, with times of 1:27.1 and 1:16.8. Junior Karen Davis set a new record in the 200 meter free with a time of 2:23.45. Sophomore Jeanea broke the old school record in the 50 yard free in 30.1. Another sophomore, Eileen Misunas, swam to a new record of 27.6 in the 50 meter free.

Students participate in other sports

Some people sit around saying "there's nothing to do". But there is always something to do if you are active in personal sports.

Some people have even gone as far as to become professional at their personal sport, such as Alven "Bud" Brashier, one of the top Moto-Cross racers in the state. Sponsored by Apache Honda of Mesa, Bud participates in 36 races a year, and that runs into a lot of money. His bike alone was \$1500.00; then there are supplies and an entry fee of \$15 per race.

An added expense was when Bud broke his neck during a race, Moto-Cross is the second most physically demanding sport in the world. Bud has raced all over Arizona and in Mexico, which was an honor. Americans can only race through an invitation. Commenting on Mexico, Bud had this to say: "They treat

you like a celebrity down there. They really think you are something like you're crazy to race motorcycles, but they love it."

Another thing that was an experience for him were the people of Mexico, "They'd never seen blonde hair," he commented.

The terrain in our area is perfect for Moto-Cross and another form of personal sports, 4-Wheeling. A Four-Wheel-Drive truck is sometimes thought of as a sort of tank. It goes over mountains, through sand, and fords its way through mud bogs, (sometimes not making it.), and is the primary equipment for what seems to be one of Casa Grande's favorite sports. After a heavy rain, just look around the parking lots, everything has turned 4WD.

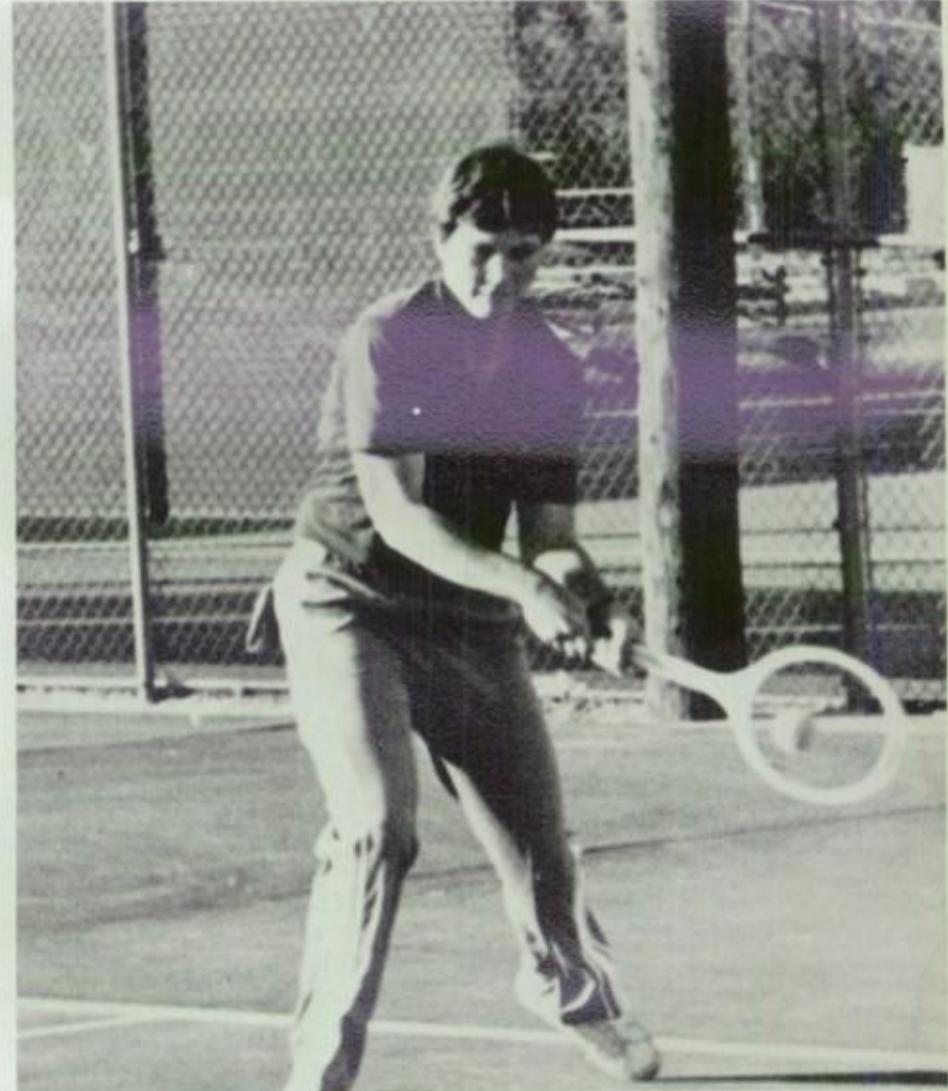
Machinery isn't necessary for personal sports, some students have become active in equestrian sports.

Susan Castonguay has been riding several years and is active on the horse show circuit, riding in English classes.

Misty Diwan is also active on horseback, but in a different phase. Junior Rodeo competition is a tough personal sport that requires long hours of practice and a steady communication between horse and rider. This paid off for Misty, who received all-around honors at the Florence Junior Parade this year. Jeff and Chad Whisenhunt are also into Rodeo, participating in Bull Riding Contests. Jeff is striving to be one of the best at his personal sport, reaching the Arizona Junior Rodeo Association (AJRA) finals at the state fair this year. While there he won the first go-round and placed in the top 10 for the state. Casa Grande sported many winning sports this year, but some of them were personal ones.

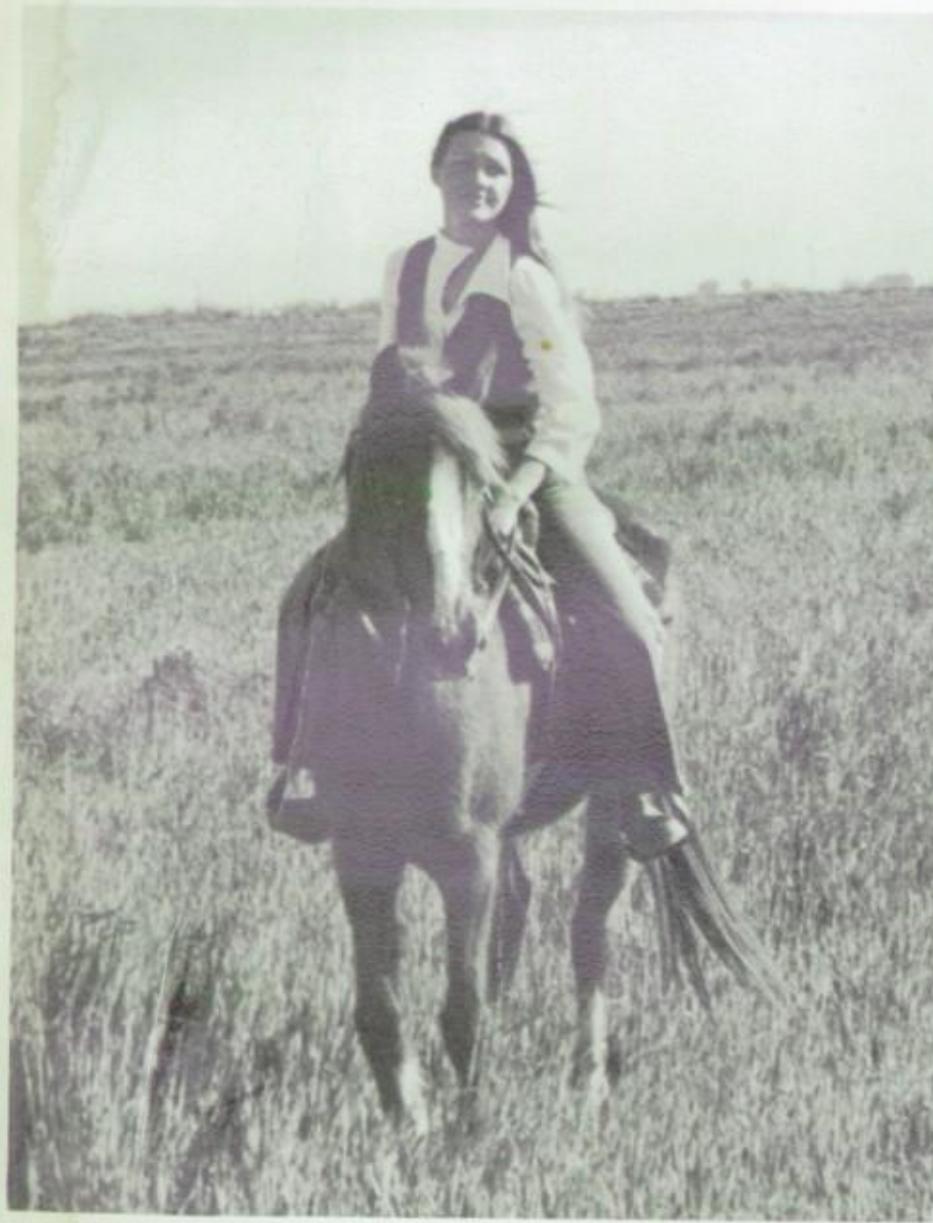


(Above) Tim and Troy Hubbard's car is stuck in the mud after trying to pull out a friend out of the same mud. (Right) Kent Kortsen spends Saturday afternoon playing tennis.

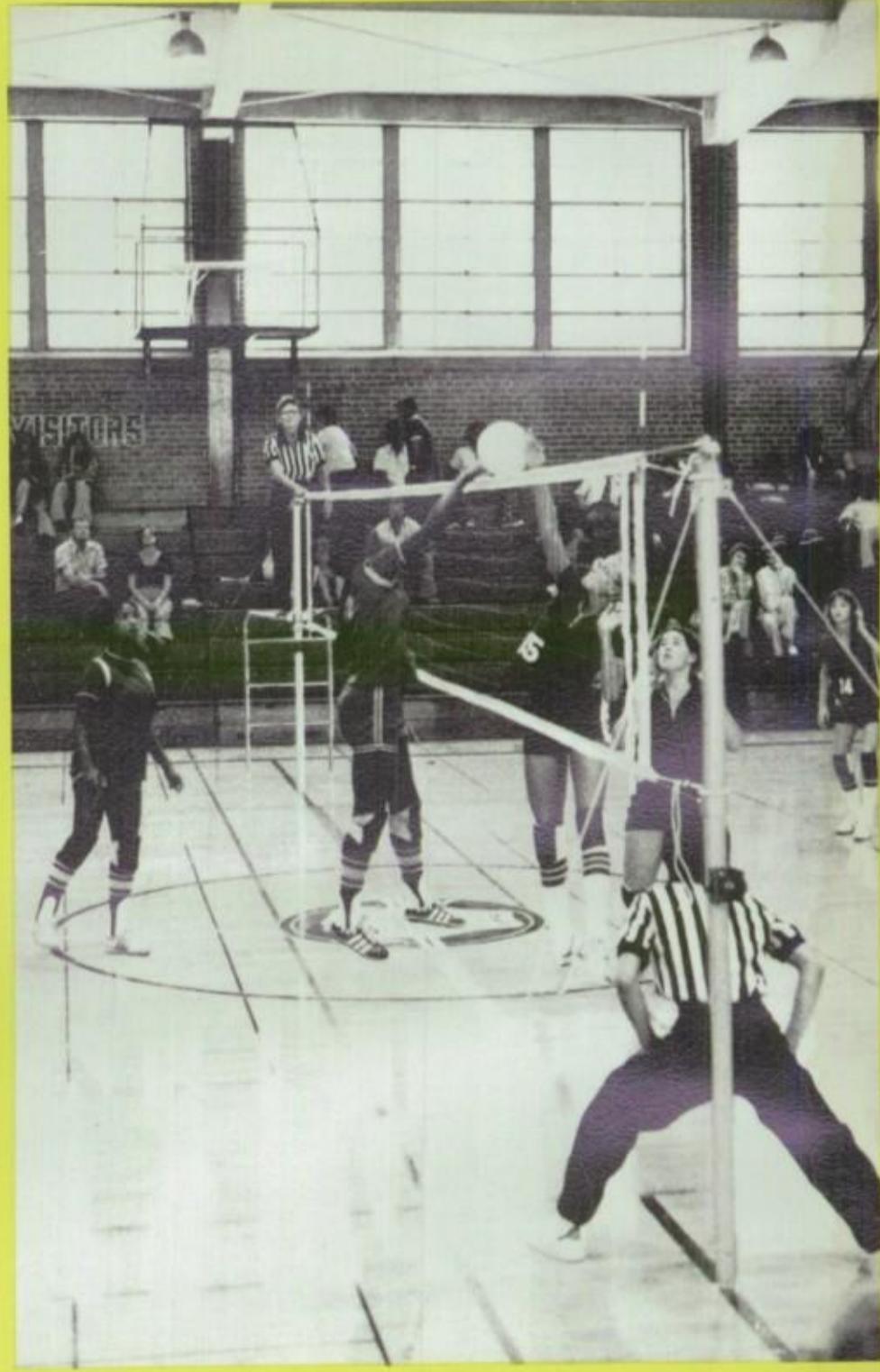




(Left) Senior Alvin Brashear takes a practice jump on a moto-cross track. (Below) Jerry Hopper and friends go mudding on a flooded farm road.



(Above) Jerry Hopper, Dean Hudson and David Miller spend time after school making a new trail. (Left) Susan Castonguay rides her horse in a field out by her house.



(Above) Senior Helen Decker sets the ball up for a spike over the net by Ezila Williams. (Above Right) Junior Cynthia Haygood spikes the ball over the net against the Kofa Kings as Diane Williams watches. (Right) Lee Ann Jeffers gets ready to bump the ball back to the front line while Patty Brewer yells encouragement to her. It was in the Marcos de Niza match. The Cougars went on to win the match and the game by one point.



Volleyball teams Improve



Darlene Gilder taps the ball back over the net in the Marcos de Niza match. Casa Grande went on to win the match.

I feel in order for us to compete at our level now, we must have a freshmen program. We need a coach for the freshmen team along with a coach for the junior varsity team. This year we were competing with one coach for two volleyball teams. In view of that fact, I feel that the team had an excellent season! Our record did not show that, but given our situation, I feel as though it was successful," commented Coach Mary Slavin. "This years seniors improved tremendously compared to last years. The people I'm talking about,

are Patty Brewer, Lee Ann Jeffers and Helen Decker. We played without Rosie Toler because of her knee injury and that hurt us. I'm hoping the coaching situation will get better by next year because we could have a winning program here," said Coach Slavin. "Tami Livermon improved the most for us this season, therefore she was awarded the Most Improved Player Award at the fall athletic banquet. I had a tough time deciding who should get the Most Valuable Player Award but in the end I decided on Ruthell King," added Ms. Slavin.



(Above) **VARSITY GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL:** (Front row) Roxanne Gallo, Tami Livermon, Patty Brewer, Amy Sherk. (middle row) Rosie Toler, Melba Ferguson, Diamond Xiarhos, Helen Decker, Sally Lewallen, Dorina Armendariz. (top) Cynthia Haygood, Ruthell King, Ezila Williams, Lisa Madrid, Lee Ann Jeffers, Ms. Mary Slavin. (Left) **JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL:** (front row) Monica Jones, Theresa Jones, Merlinda Amado, Patty Munoz, Rosemary Trevino. (middle row) Mary Ann Robles, Marie Scavo, Michelle Vrabel, Corina Gomez, Melba Ferguson, Diane Madrid, Cindy Dunkelberger, (top row) Ms. Mary Slavin, Darlene Gilder, Debbie Paytosh, Blanca Alvarez, Diane Williams, Diana Chavez, Julie Coates. (above) Lisa Madrid gets set to return the ball should it come to her.

(Below) **VARSITY Gymnastics:** (Front) Kathy Blair, Aiessa Fullen. (second) Susie England, Susan Keasler, Carolyn Huff. (third) Jocelyn Coxon, Diane Blewer, Coach Diane Branstrom, Kyle Conner, Alli-

son Manning. (Beam) Nancy Haguewood, Jenny Echeverria, Stacey Shafer. (Right) Jenny Echeverria practices her routine on the uneven bars in preparation for the next meet.



(Above) Coach Diane Branstrom pauses for a rest after demonstrating a routine for the Gymnastics team.

VARSITY GYMNASTICS

OPPONENT WE THEY

Yuma
Camelback
McClintock
Mt. View
Sunnyslope
Saguaro
Chandler
Mesa

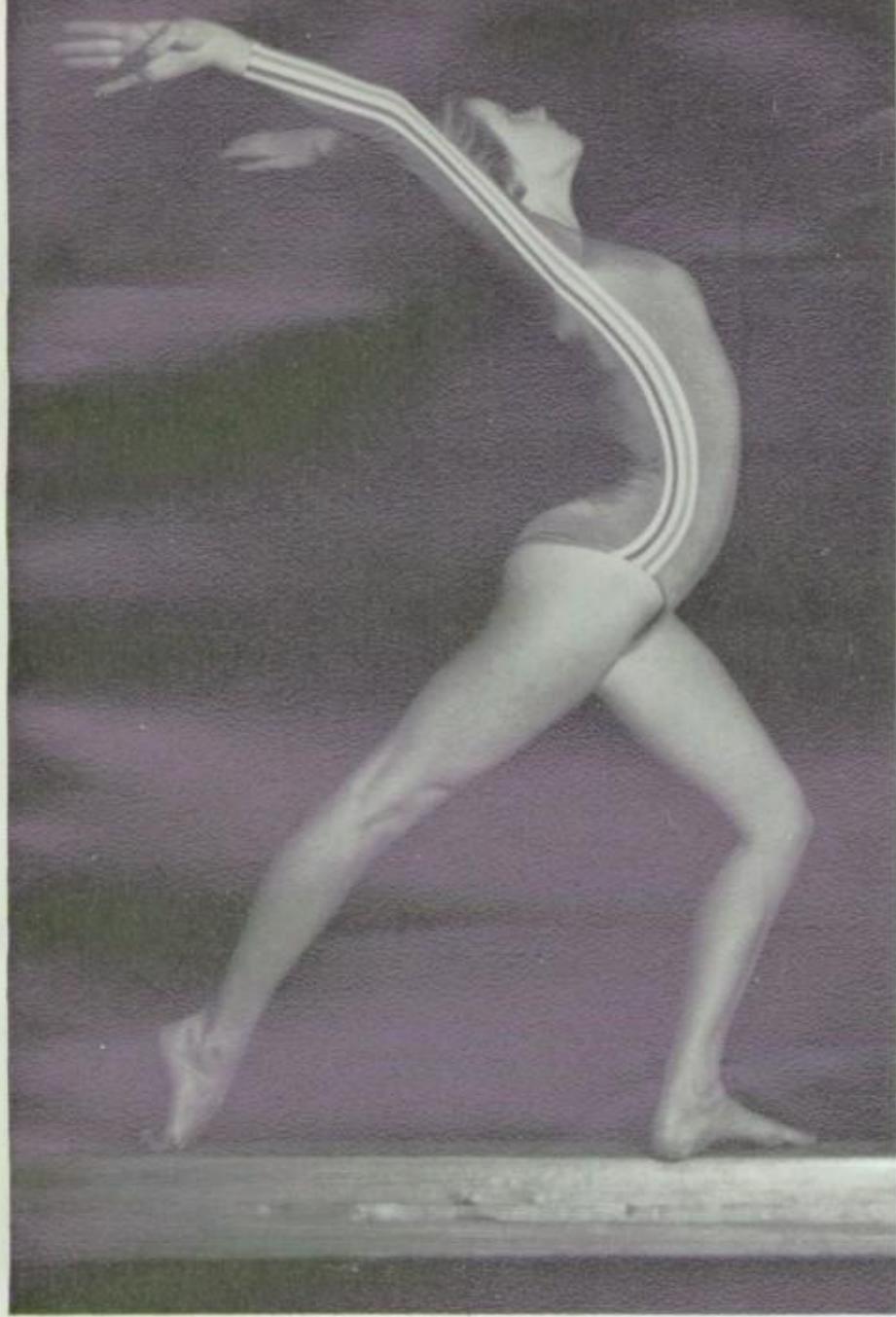
Gymnasts swing into action

The Girls' Gymnastics team put in a lot of practice time this season to get ready for their eight meet seasonal competition.

The girls opened their season on the road at Yuma against the Yuma Criminals. Their season ended at home against the Mesa Jackrabbits. The A League Divisionals rolled around on May fourth with many hopefuls from Casa Grande that competed with others to get a shot at state competition. The team was cut into two squads consisting of Varsity and Junior Varsity girls. It was the second year for a Junior Varsity team in Gymnastics at this school. It was the backup team for the Varsity Squad. Their responsibility was to back up and to replace any member of the Varsity squad that was hurt or could not

compete. They also challenged their teammates for a spot on the first squad. They practiced alongside their Varsity teammates and had to do the same routines with them. Practices were two a day for a few months. The girls started practice at 5:30 in the morning and had afternoon practice at 2:30 till 5:00.

"The competition was fierce for a spot on the Varsity squad this season. I referred to my first team as the "Dirty Dozen", commented Coach Diane Branstrom. "This is my third year of coaching the team and it keeps on getting better every year", replied Coach Branstrom. "I have a lot of confidence in my team and hope to send a few of them to the state competition and bring home some of the top places," quoted Coach Branstrom.



(Left) Junior Susie England practices her routine on the beam. She is holding her pose for the judges. (Below) Junior Varsity Gymnastics: (front) Kelly Hawk, Pam Bell. (middle) Julie Anderson, Coach Diane Branstrom.

(back) Cheryl Mumme, Stacy Grigg, Cindi Johnson, Marla Bolton, Robin Haynes, Maria Harasha, Michelle Mauvais, Julie Fagerberg, Marie Scavo. (not pictured) Jeannie Vandenberg.



(Left) Senior Kathy Blair holds her pose for the judges after her routine on the beam.



(Right) Ruthell King shows a look of excitement after the umpire called her safe at second base. *(Below)* Lisa Madrid stretches for the ball to get the runner out.



(Above) Senior Patty Brewer fields the ball and prepares to throw home. *(Right)* Senior Rosie Toler goes after the ball as it goes between second base and third base while Melba Ferguson looks on.



(Left) Senior Helen Decker rounds third base on her way to home plate. (Below) VARSITY SOFTBALL: (front) Mgr. Amy Sherk, Lisa Madrid, Shari Phillips, Tami Livermon, Lydia Perez, Melba Ferguson, Brenda Erickson, Mgr. Michelle Vrabel. (back) Coach Mary Slavin, Rosie Toler, Helen Decker, Ruthell King, Kathy Burk, Kathy Johnson, Karen Davis, Alma Kakar, Patty Brewer, Carmen Garcia, Roxanne Gallo, Mgr. Dorina Armendariz.



Cougars get knocked out **Cougars lose in divisionals**

We came so close," commented Coach Mary Slavin. She was referring to the divisional playoffs. The Casa Grande Cougar Softball team made it to the divisional playoffs only to be knocked off by the Saguaro Sabrecats. The Sabrecats went to the state playoffs, the Cougars went home to the showers. "I was really pleased with the playing that we did this season. I was really impressed with the catching of Freshman Roxanne Gallo. If she can play that good as a freshman, I know she can really play great by time she is a senior. I really appreciated the coaching of Coach Nancy Hebert. The girls got a lot coaching down on the junior varsity level. Two years

we have made it to the divisionals and two years we have been knocked off. Maybe next year we won't get knocked off at the end. I was really glad to get Rosie Toler back in a uniform. Her knees held up this year and she was really a big help to us this season. After four years, it is about time she got well enough to help us," stated Coach Slavin. Bad weather plagued the Cougar team all season long. It rained on many practice which cut down on the team's practice time.

"The rains really hurt us. I think we could have done better if we could have practiced more together," said senior Rosie Toler.

Varsity Softball

Opponent	We	They
Westwood		
Marcos de Niza		
Mesa		
Mesa		
Chandler		
Arcadia		
Arcadia		
Chapparal		
Chapparal		
Yuma		
Yuma		
Tempe		
Tempe		
Saguaro		
Saguaro		

Frosh
Wrestling

Opponent	We	They
Marcos de Niza	48	24
Tempe	3	49
Yuma	47	22
Kofa	20	50
Chandler	22	46
Powell	30	33
Poston	36	36
McClintock	24	48
Kino	56	12
Saguaro	76	0
Arcadia	76	0

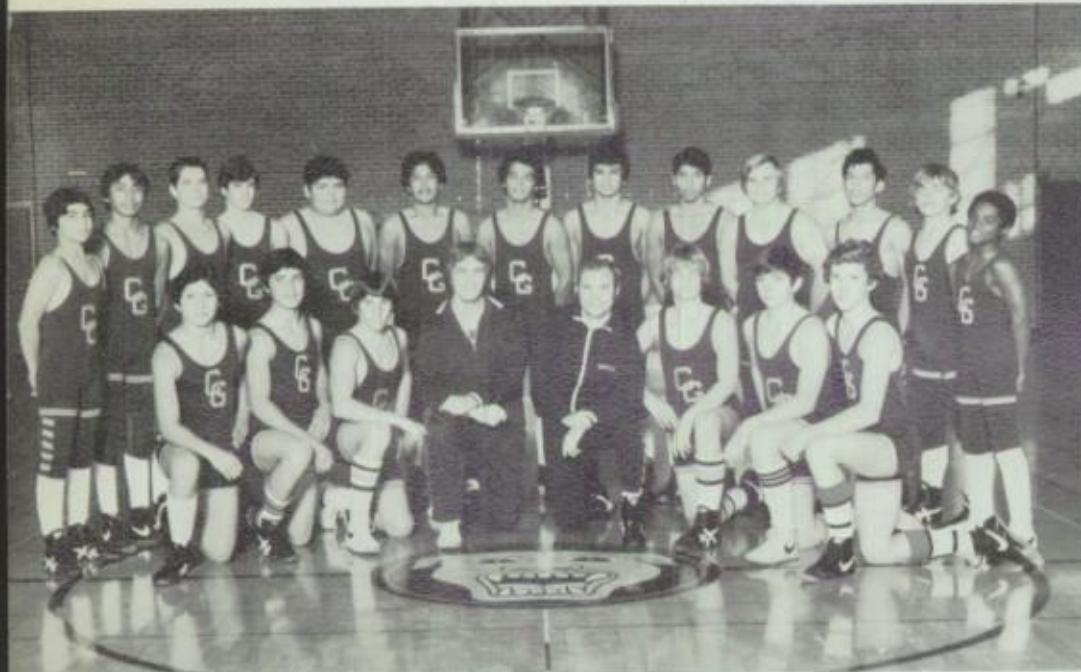
Lack of participation hurts

frosh wrestlers; J.V. Softball gets a new coach

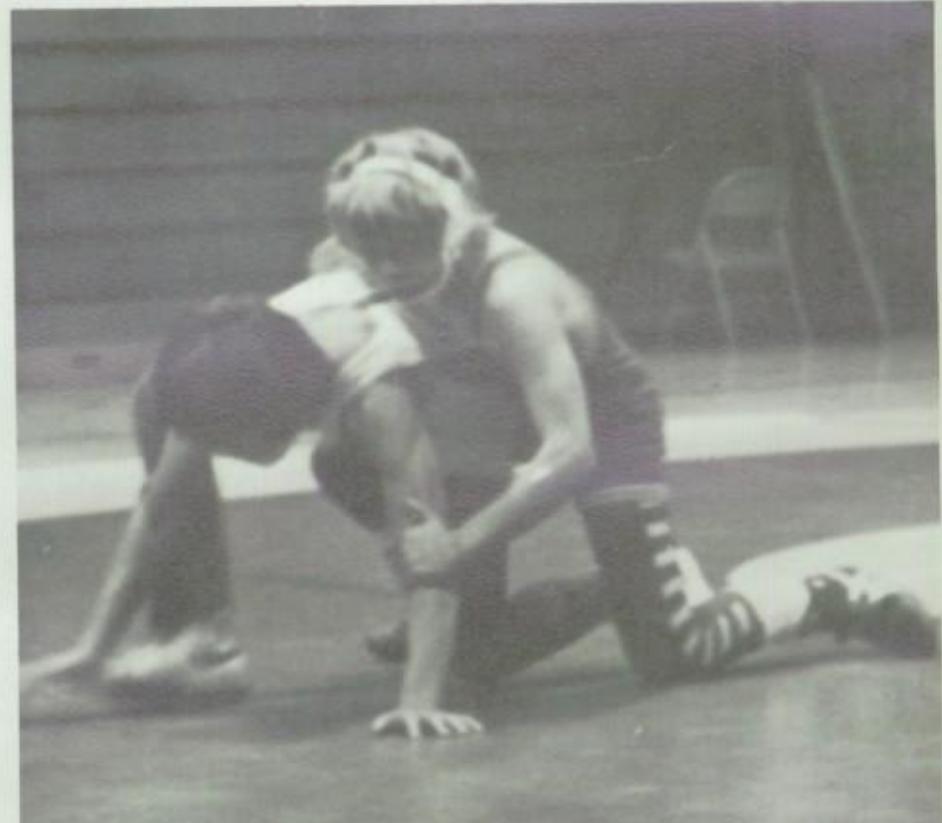
Lack of participation or a lack of hard work really hurt us this season. I think if my kids would have worked harder we would have come out with a better record at the end of the season," commented frosh wrestling Coach. "I really got a lot of hard work out of a few members of my squad. The most hard working were Chad Whisenhunt, Warren Edwards, Manuel Apodaca and Dann Apodaca. There were some kids that didn't come out that I thought should have. They would of really helped the team, but if they are not willing to sacrifice the time and work, we can't

use them," quoted Coach Larry Faust.

The Junior Varsity Softball was guided under a new coach this season. Coach Nancy Hebert was awarded the position along with her teaching contract. It was Coach Hebert's first year of coaching softball. "We had some good times and some bad times. We had some good times and some bad times. We all worked hard this year to overcome our inexperience. We stuck together and practiced everyday. With the knowledge we gained, we can expect to have a winning team next year," commented Coach Hebert.



(Above) FROSH WRESTLING: (front) Andy Espinosa, Eloy Marques, Brian Humble, Coach Larry Faust, Coach Tony Ellis, Shane Howell, Ray Davis, Aaron Peterson. (back) Richard Garcia, Mike Perkins, Tim Souter, Ted Huntington, Edward Apodaca, Richard Lyons, Reyes Villanueva, Daniel Apodaca, Robert Norris, Marvin Newman, Mike Apodaca, Chad Whisenhunt, Warren Edwards, (Not Pictured) Joe Auza, Felipe Becerra, (Right) Freshman Chad Whisenhunt takes a breakdown on his opponent from Yuma. Chad went on to win the match 8-4.



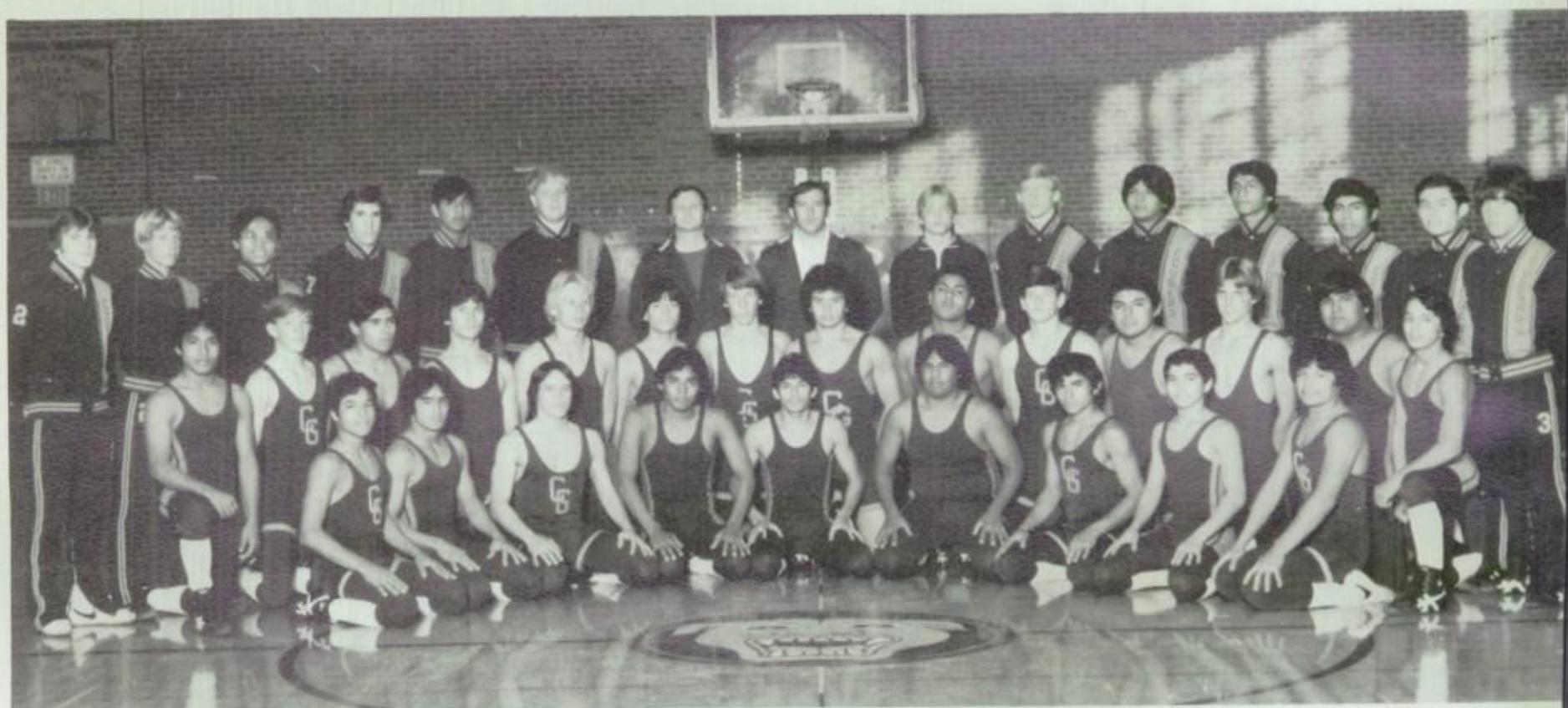
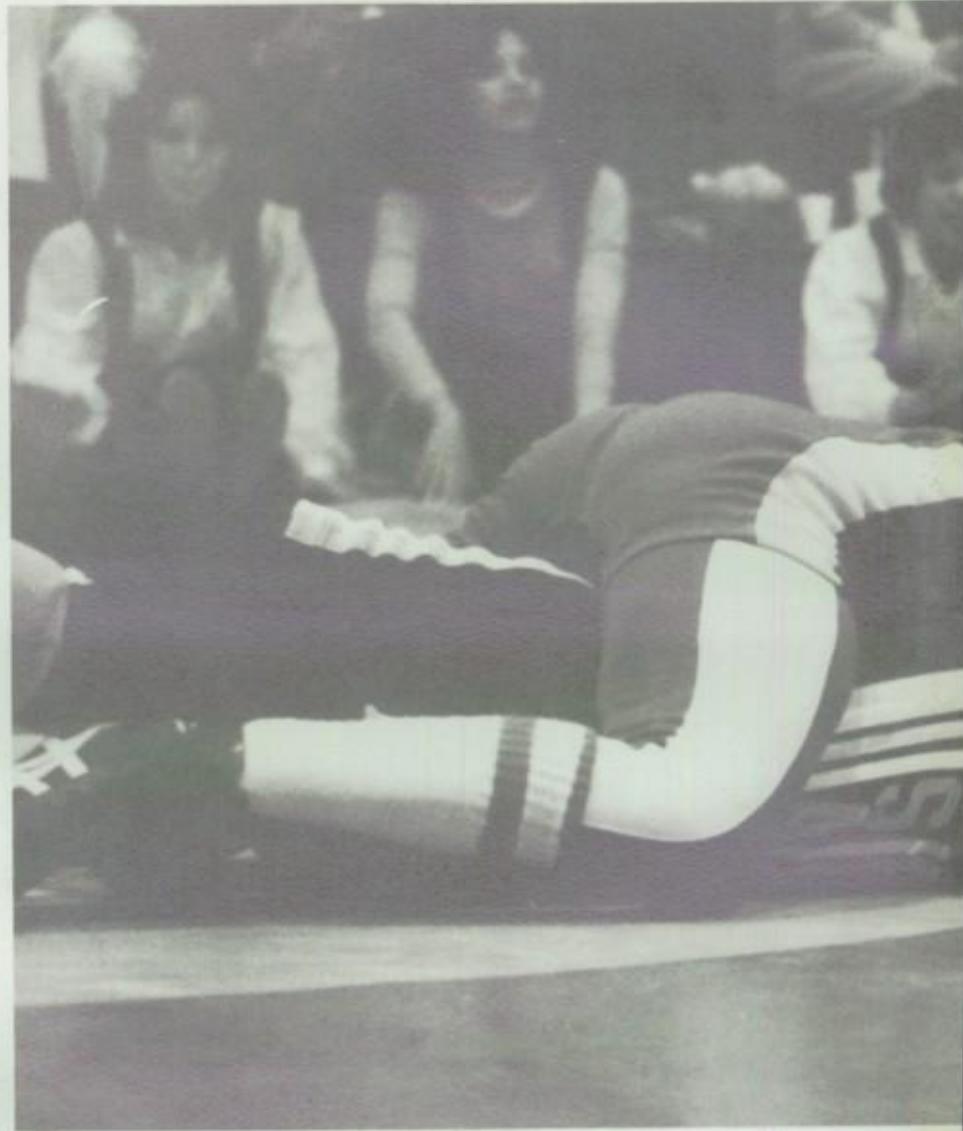
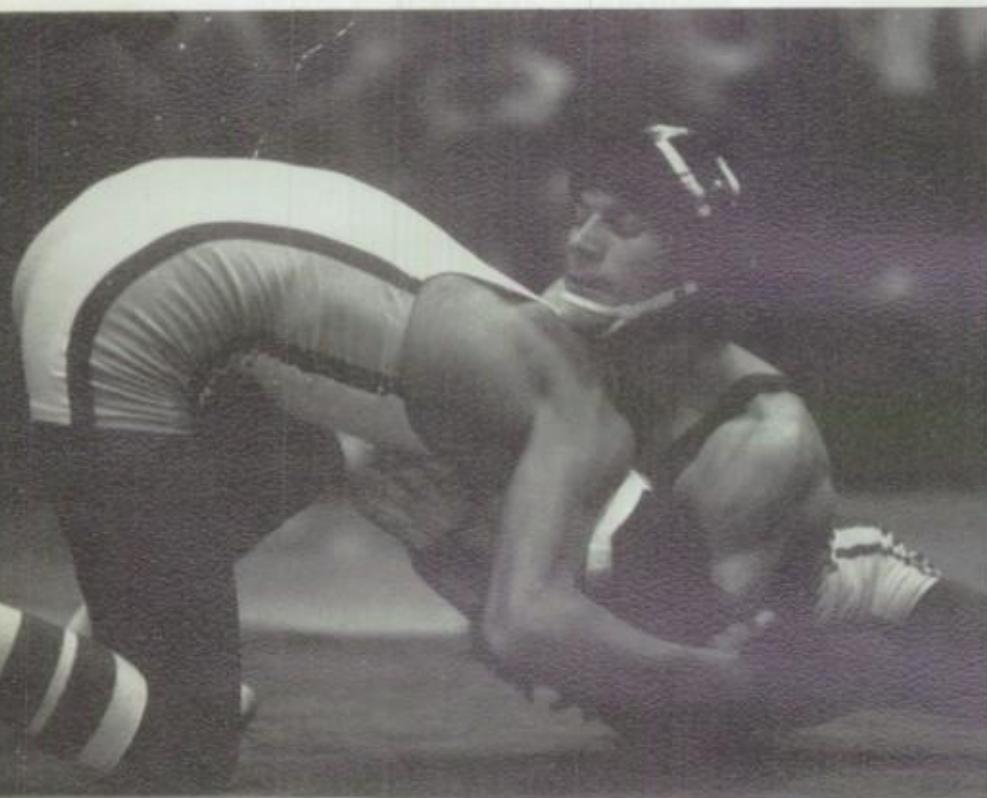


(left) Gigi Lopez fails to make the tag on a slide to home made by her opponent for Marcos de Niza. (Below- JUNIOR VARSITY SOFTBALL: (front) Mgr. Julie Coates, Mgr. Salina Carillo, Candy Erickson, Emma Torres, Chris Ollerton, Corrona Gomez, Norma Vidal, Diane Williams, Coach Nancy Hebert. (back) Mgr. Ruby Johnson, Kathy O'Brien, Cindy Toler, Vickie Matthews, Lee Ann Jeffers, Gigi Lopez, Susie Castonguay, Diane Chavez, Melba Ferguson, Stacy Warne, Tiana McCullough, Joanne Dick.



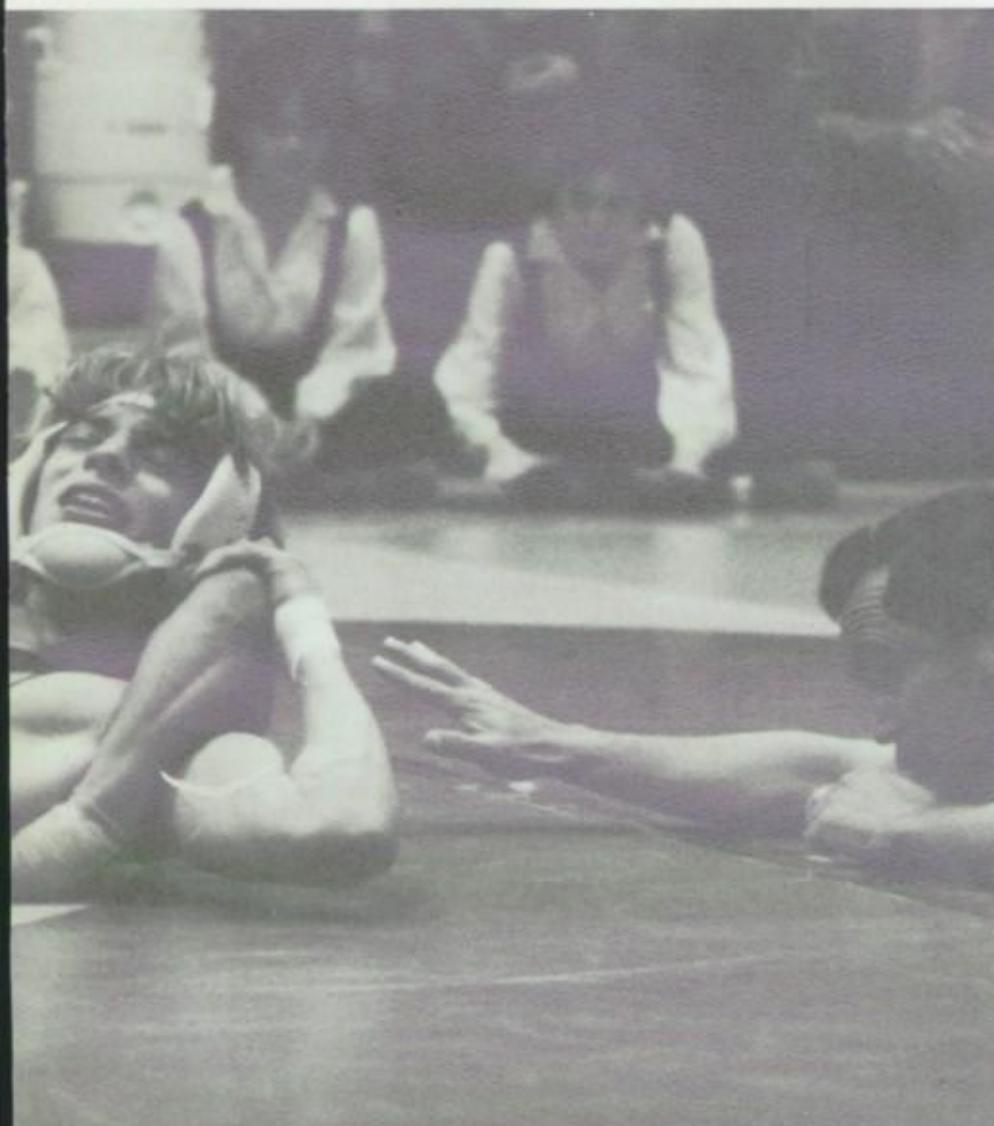
(Above) First baseman Vickie Matthews gets the throw from the second baseman. The throw beat the runner there and was called out. (Left) Melba Ferguson slides across home plate safely to add another point for the Cougars. Casa Grande went on to win the game.

(Below) Senior Orlando Mena does a spread to prevent his opponent from Arcadia to get a take-down on him. Orlando won the match by a pin. The team also went on to defeat the Arcadia Titan squad.



(Above) VARSITY-JUNIOR VARSITY WRESTLING: (front) Joseph Kakar, Rey Bussari, Greg Moreno, Wally Jones, Orlando Mena, Allen Johns, Raul Lara, Steve Ornelas, Luis Jaramillo. (middle) Carlos Hernandez, Todd McHaney, Rene Garcia, Allen Robinson, Jerry Peterson, Kelly Robinson, Adrian Peterson, Bobby Washman, Robert Ruiz,

David Cavanee, Joel Torres, Danny Decker, Kevin Lewis, William Cons. (top) John Field, Darrell Fullerton, Billy Wong, Kirk Beren, Bryce Norris, John Imes, Coach Robert Mitchell, Coach Rod Purdom, Mgr. Tucker Mansager, Tim Wells, Robert Torres, Sammy Sanchez, Jose Amaya, David Apodaca, Joe Sopha. *(Not pictured)* Chester Collins.



(Left) Senior Rey Bussari demonstrates pinning skills on his Saguaro opponent. The end of the second period rescued the Saguaro matman, but Bussari went on to win the match 15-4. (Below) Wally Jones uses wrestling techniques to break down his fellow opponent in the Coolidge tournament. The Senior went on to win the match.

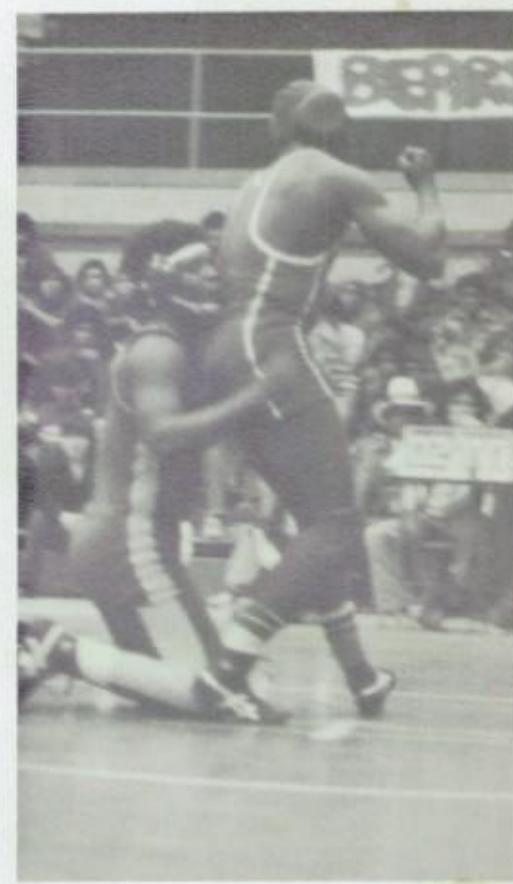


Cougar grapplers compete with quality, not quantity

We just didn't have enough people interested in wrestling this year to have a good sturdy team to compete with," announced head Coach Rodney Purdom. The Casa Grande wrestling was plagued with a lack of participation this season. The squad had only three Seniors on it. They were Orlando Mena, Rey Bussari and Wally Jones. Several members of last year's squad did not show up for tryouts. Junior Chester Collins did not start practicing until halfway through the season because of a football injury. Senior Duane Gamez also did not wrestle because of a football injury.

"Although, I would not underestimate the rest of the squad, Junior Carlos Hernandez came through with the best record of the season with only one defeat. For getting six wins, I awarded him his first Golden Grappler. Senior Rey Bussari was awarded his second Grappler award in his career here this season. Rey did a fine job for us all four seasons that he wrestled here, said Coach Purdom.

Three people qualified at divisionals this season. Senior Rey Bussari was disqualified from going to state on a controversial call while Carlos Hernandez and Orlando Mena went.

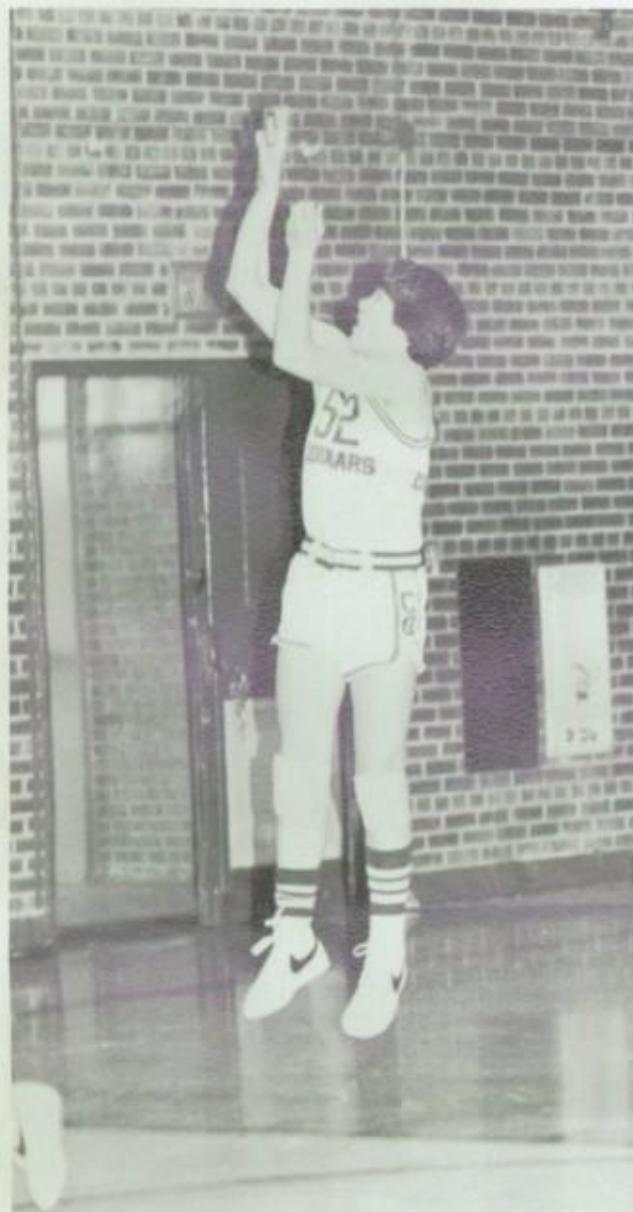


(Above) Chester Collins is defeated by one point from the number one seated Coolidge opponent at the Coolidge tournament. Chester went on to take third in the tournament.

(Right) Freshman John Berryhill guards his area on a zone defense in the Saguaro game. (Below) **JUNIOR VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY:** (front) Joe Cardenas, Matt O'Connell, Eddie Ronquillo, John Vega. (Back) Ed Stone, Joel Henness, Bob Hardin, Charles Shinkle.



(Above) David Rascon and John Vega rest after running a mile warmup. (Right) Blaine Pratt dribbles the ball down the court towards the goal.



(Left) Dennis Fitzgibbons goes up for a jumpshot against the Saguaro Sabrecats. The shot netted him two points. (Below) FROSH A BASKETBALL: (front) Coach Anthony Rascon, Mgr. Joe O'Dell. (back) Martin Rascon, Blaine Pratt, Jon

Berryhill, Ricky Molnar, Robert Lyons, Charley Cannon, Dennis Fitzgibbons, Richard Peace, Tony Espinoza, Bob Sullivan, Ben Northy, David Montiel, Grady Whatley.



Frosh A Basketball

Opponent	We	They
Willis	57	37
Marcos de Niza	39	47
Fremont	72	61
Kino	69	25
Coronado	57	45
Chapparal	52	45
Arcadia	52	58
Tempe	53	63
Saguaro	46	56
Rhodes	44	64
Marcos de Niza	38	52
Chapparal	75	80

Junior varsity cross country

keeps pace; Frosh A suffers

Coach Bill Allen commented, "I was really proud of my junior varsity runners this season. They all put a lot of hard work in trying to compete alongside their varsity teammates. Any one of them could have run varsity, but I only had room for a few runners on the varsity team. I was really impressed with the progress that Joe Cardenas made. He'll be a strong runner for us next year. It was my first year of working with these guys and it was really enjoyable as well as educational for me. I am going to expect a lot out of Bob Hardin and Joel Henness next year because they will be seniors then."

Competing with the girls this season was a new experience for me. I think that the thought of having to run against the girls made our guys run that much faster so they wouldn't get beat out by a girl. Even though a few of them did get beat by a few of those girls!" The Freshmen A basketball team didn't fair as well this season. The Cougar kittens lost more than they won.

Freshmen Ricky Molnar stated, "We really got into shape under the direction of Coach Rascon. The team got along as a whole pretty well. I liked playing football better.

B Team sharpshooters score while Junior Varsity slows down

The Freshmen B Basketball team toted an average record for this season. One of the most exciting wins for the squad came at the hands of the Kino A basketball team in overtime. The score was tied at the end of the game. After an overtime period, the Frosh B ballers came out on top by two points. The team lost two close games by one point apiece against the Coronado Dons and the Marcos de Niza Padres. The Cougar kittens destroyed the Fremont Junior High team by forty-six points. Another exciting game for the squad was the Saguaro matchup. The B team came out on top 61-42. The team lost

another close one in another overtime game to the Rhodes Junior High basketball team. The Junior Varsity Basketball team had a rough season. The team was under the direction of Coach Ron Kleinman who was also the Varsity assistant coach. The highlight of the season came during the Mesa game. The Cougar squad outrebounded and outscored the Mesa Jackrabbits. The score at the final buzzer was 74-52 in favor of the Cougars. The team also had another exciting win. After a long road trip to Yuma, the Cougars played the Criminals. The Casa Grande team came out on top by two points at the buzzer, 54-52.

FROSH B BASKETBALL

OPPONENT	WE	THEY
Chandler	44	52
Marco de Niza	61	54
Fremont	82	36
Kino "A" O.T.	42	40
Chapparel	43	50
Arcadia	42	67
Tempe	92	67
Saguaro	61	42
Rhodes O.T.	68	76
Marcos de Niza	43	44
Chapparal	52	59
Arcadia		
Tempe		
Saguaro		
Powell		



(Above) FROSH B BASKETBALL: (front) Coach Jim Quinlan, Mgr. Ricky Alvarez. (back) Joe O'Donnell, Doug Clevenger, Leon Queneville, Max Everhart, Dane Cowan, James Payne, Mike

Cooper, Tim Wise, Jamie Shaw, Oliver Jordan, Terry Collins, Donny Nash. (Right) Oliver Jordan blocks a jump shot made by a player from Saguaro while teammate Joe O'Donnell guards.



JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

OPPONENT WE THEY

Agua Fria	55	67
Chandler	46	66
Marcos de Niza	43	67
Mountain View	55	56
Westwood	59	61
Coronado	52	65
South Mountain	53	72
Yuma	55	57
Chaparral	46	78
Arcadia	47	54
Tempe	36	51
Saguaro	51	69
Mesa	74	52
Chaparral	57	74
Yuma	54	52
Arcadia	42	73
Tempe	48	70
Mesa		
Saguaro		



(Top) Sophomore Fred Sites outmaneuvers his guard during the Saguaro game. Saguaro went on to win the game. (Left) Mike Chance keeps an eye on his man during the Saguaro game. **JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS' BASKETBALL:** (front) Fred Sites, Coach Ron Kleinman, Ray Glass. (back-

Ralph Martinez, Randy Hintz, Darin White, Stuart Goodman, Mike Chance, Warren Holden, Jeff Johnson, Tom Coxon, Sean Sloan, Eddie Martinez, Donald Collins, Marvin Shade, Robbie Church, Johnny Moore.



Cougars win A-League championship

Hoar, Gilder dominate court

Seniors Kenny Hoar and Jim Gilder practically rewrote the school basketball records during the 19-6 season in which Casa Grande won a league championship, finished third in the Hobbs, New Mexico Invitational Tournament, and earned a state tournament berth by placing third in the divisional playoffs. Both players scored 36 points in a single game—Gilder breaking the old mark first against Saguaro and Hoar duplicating the feat against Mesa. Hoar established new marks for most field goals in a game (13), most points in a quarter (15), and most points in a half (29) this season. The 6-foot-5 inside man set the most free throws made in a game (19). Gilder, 6-foot-2, broke the school mark for rebounds in a game by grabbing 31 against

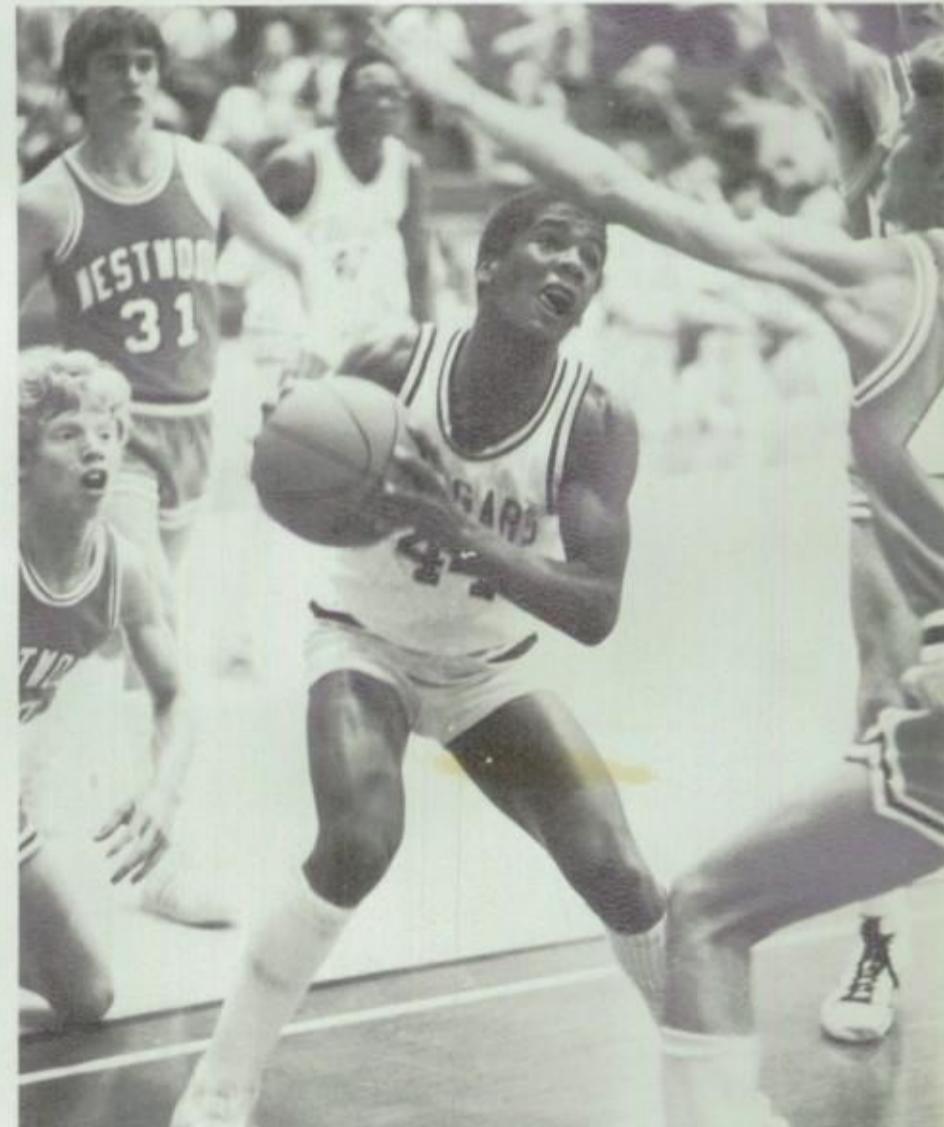
Saguaro. He carried an average of 17 points per game and an average of 13.1 rebounds per outing. Hoar carried an average of 19.8 points per game and 10 rebounds every time he hit the floor. Hoar and Gilder were named to the all-league and all-division basketball teams by coaches of the AAA-Central Division. Hoar finished second in voting in the all-division voting and was the top vote getter on the all league team. Gilder was a close second in the league and finished third in the balloting in the division. The Cougars also placed junior Randy Robbins on the A-League honorable mention list. Robbins, played wing had a 9.7 scoring average. The Casa Grande Cougars were knocked out of the state playoffs by the Phoenix Union Coyotes by a score of 57-62.

Varsity Basketball

Opponent	We	They
Agua Fria	84	49
Chandler	67	51
Marcos de Niza	53	61
Mt. View	54	53
Westwood	66	60
Coronado	58	51
South Mountain	61	73
Yuma	82	57
Chapparal	64	62
Arcadia	68	60
Tempe	78	64
Saguaro	96	47
Mesa	66	52
Chapparal	74	51
Yuma	62	64
Arcadia	60	62
Tempe	61	49
Saguaro	70	59
Mesa	74	65
Mt. View	57	53
Westwood	58	62
Phoenix Union	57	62

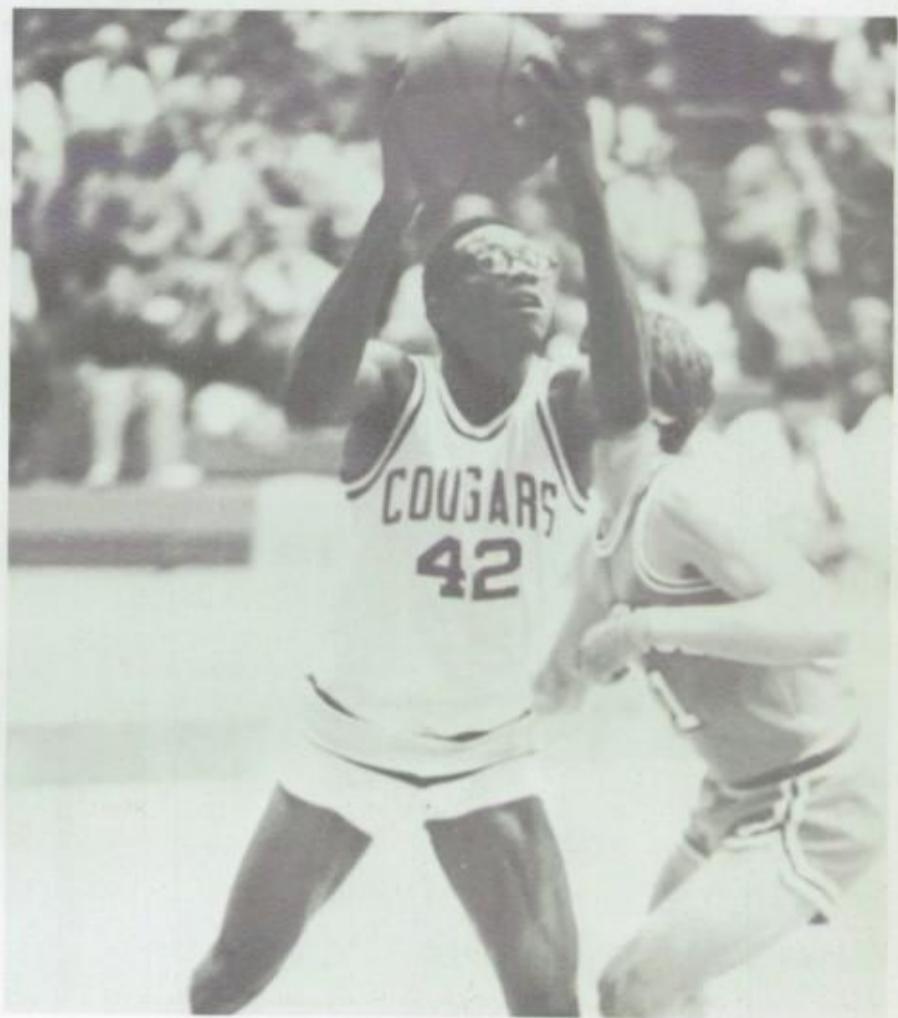


(Above) Varsity Basketball: (front) Coach Joe Partain. (back) Broadcaster Brett Eisle, Joe Lassuy, David Partain, Jim Gilder, Kenny Hoar, Mark Mann, Spencer Martinez, Randy Allen, Dale Garcia, Coach Ron Kleinman. (Not Pictured): Randy Robbins, Donny Haygood, Ralph Martinez. (Right) Junior Randy Robbins gets ready to shoot for a basket during the Westwood playoff game. Westwood went on to win the contest 62-58.





(Left) Sophomore David Partain makes a jumpshot over the outstretched hands of his opponents from Mt. View in the Central Division playoffs. Senior Jim Gilder pulls down a rebound during the Westwood playoff game.



(Above) Senior Kenny Hoar tries to outmaneuver his guard in a State playoff game. (Left) Senior Donnie Haygood goes up for a layup shot and is fouled by a Mt. View player. Casa Grande went on to win the playoff game.

(Right) Gary Wood puts on the first hole at the first hole on the Francisco Grande Golf course. (Below) Junior Tim Meek watches the ball roll towards the first hole on the putting course.



(Above) **GOLF TEAM:** (front) Coach Dave Linley, Kris Weatherly, James Maestas, Tim Meek. (back) Gary Wood, Bill Strickland, James Heskett, Davis Koschhsmeier, Scott Boedecker, Charles Shinkle. (not pictured) Jerry Verhey, Jeff Verhey, Kent Myers.





(Below) Bill Strickland watches the ball roll towards the cup after he putted it.



Golf loses junior varsity team

The Casa Grande Union High School fielded another Golf team this season. The team practiced all year long to get ready for their Spring seasonal competition. The team suffered a loss when Junior David Milne moved to Tucson.

"David really helped us out a lot last year. He had improved quite considerably over the summer and we had counted on him to help us in competition this year," stated Coach David Linley.

The team practiced after school out at the Francisco Grande Golf Resort. All home meets were played there

also. The team only fielded one Senior this season, Jerry Verhey was the only returning Junior from last year's squad. Due to a lack of participation, the team was forced to drop the junior varsity Golf team this season. Last year's team had a junior varsity team for the freshmen and the sophomores. The squad consists of all four grades this season instead of having two different teams. Golf was forced to rely on the underclassmen for the first time in several years. The team had a number of sophomores who had played on the team before, and proved themselves capable of competing with the older guys.



(Above) Bill Strickland prepares to tee off at the Francisco Grande Golf course.

(Right) Junior Joel Henness serves in a practice game with John Kluver. (Below) VARSITY BOYS' TENNIS: (front) Ed Granger, Jeff Burns. (back) Joel Henness, William McKinley, Kent Kortsen, Warren Holden.



Boys' tennis program carries average season

The boys' tennis program played average in comparison with previous teams. The Cougars dropped their first match of the season against the Mt. View Toros. But they evened their record at 1-1 by doubling the score on Coronado in a 6-3 victory. In that match, the two top singles seeds lost for the Cougars, as well as the No. 1 doubles team. "We should improve as the season rolls on. By then most of the players will have more experience in competition with better players. I think we will have a winning season if we improve our style of play," commented senior William McKinley.

One of the most exciting points of the season was in the McClintock match. The Cougars lost a 5-4 heartbreaker to the McClintock Chargers on the deciding point in the match. The two teams were tied 4-4, with the Casa Grande No. 2 doubles team of Ed Granger and Jeff Burns battled to an 8-8 pro set tie with their opponents. The tiebreaker went to 4-4, but the Chargers duo won the last point to defeat the Cougars.

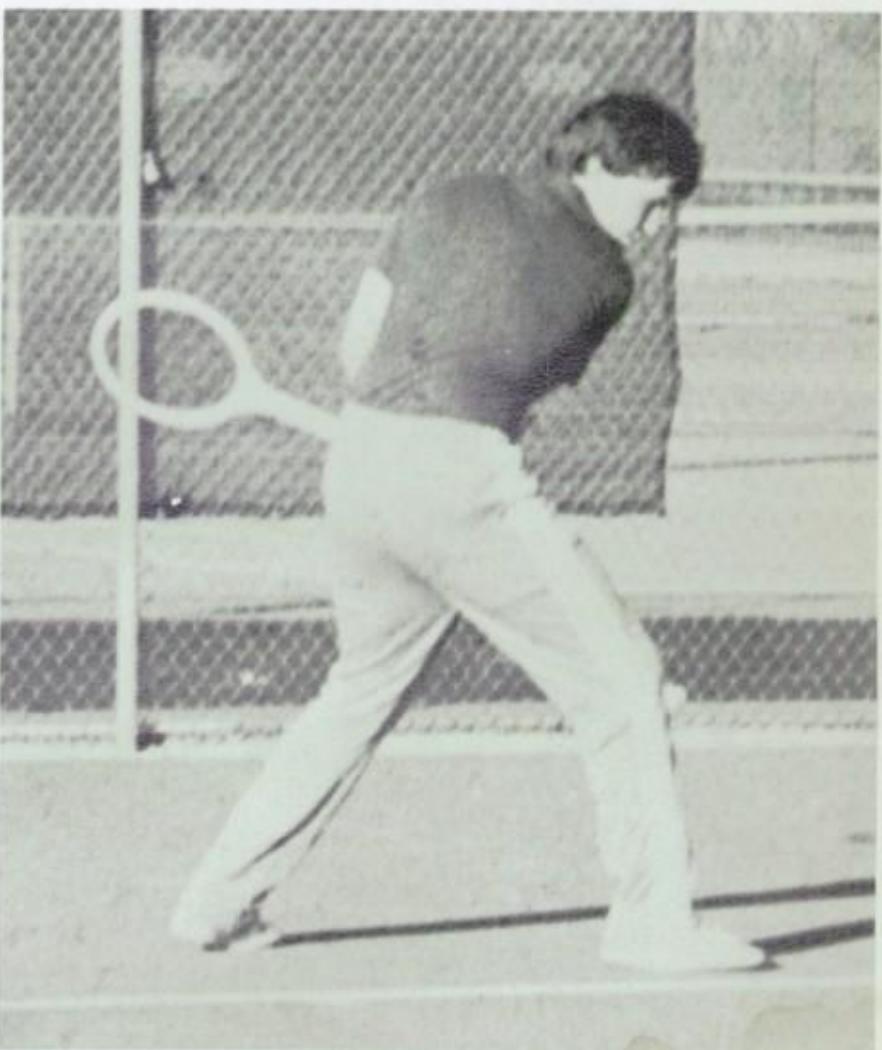
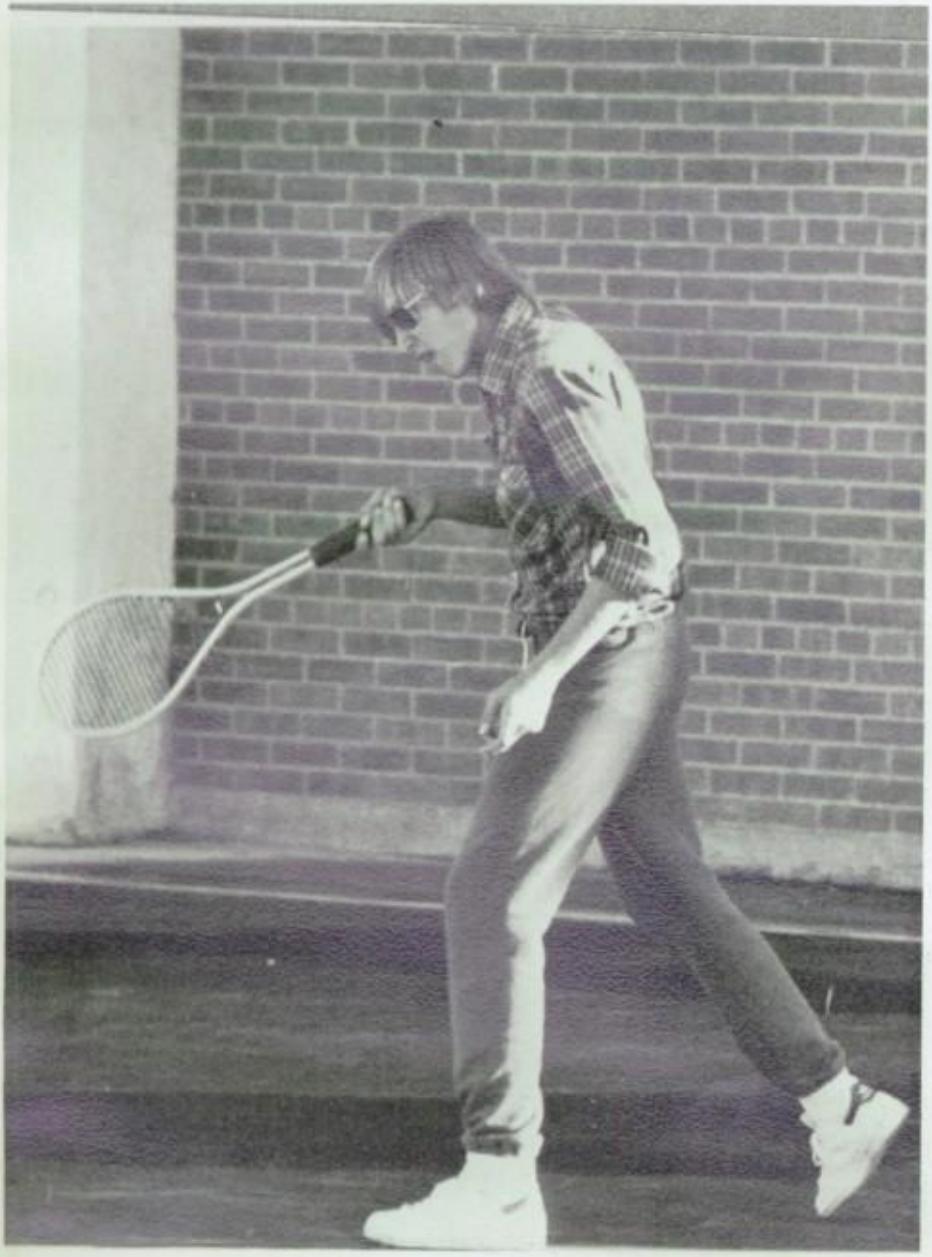
"It wasn't very pleasant," said a disappointed Coach Tony Ivins. The team kept a roster of Kent Kortsen, William McKinley, Ed Granger, Warren Holden, Joel Henness and Jeff Burns most of the season.



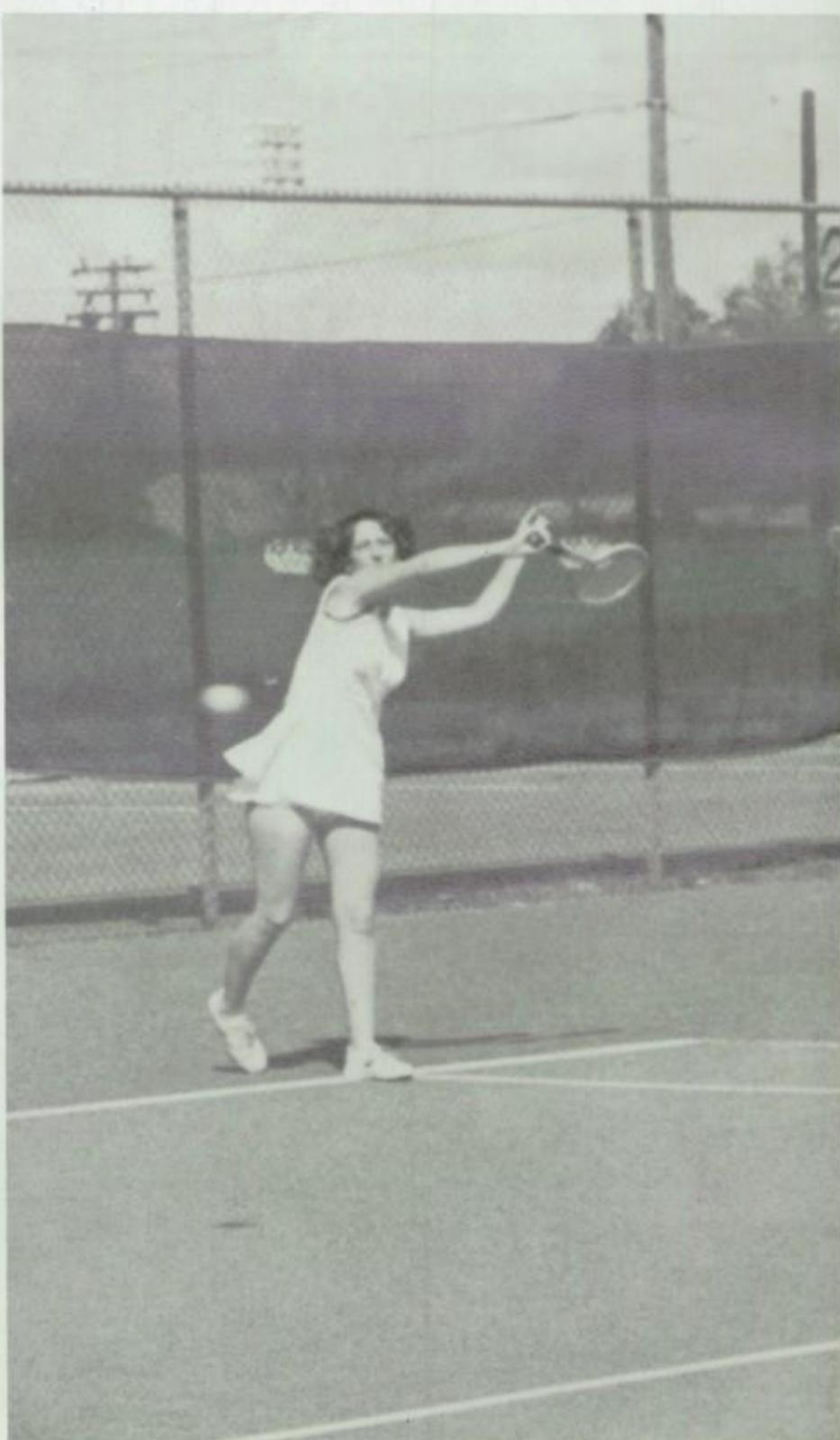
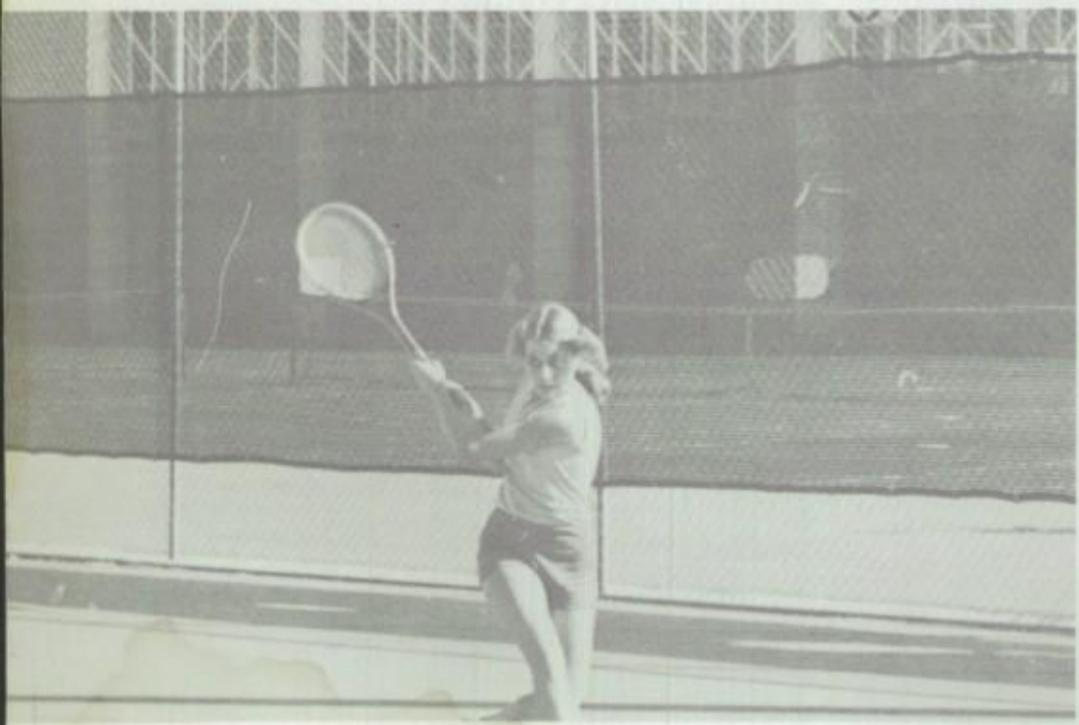
(Above) Freshmen Mike Frazey returns a serve in freshmen match.



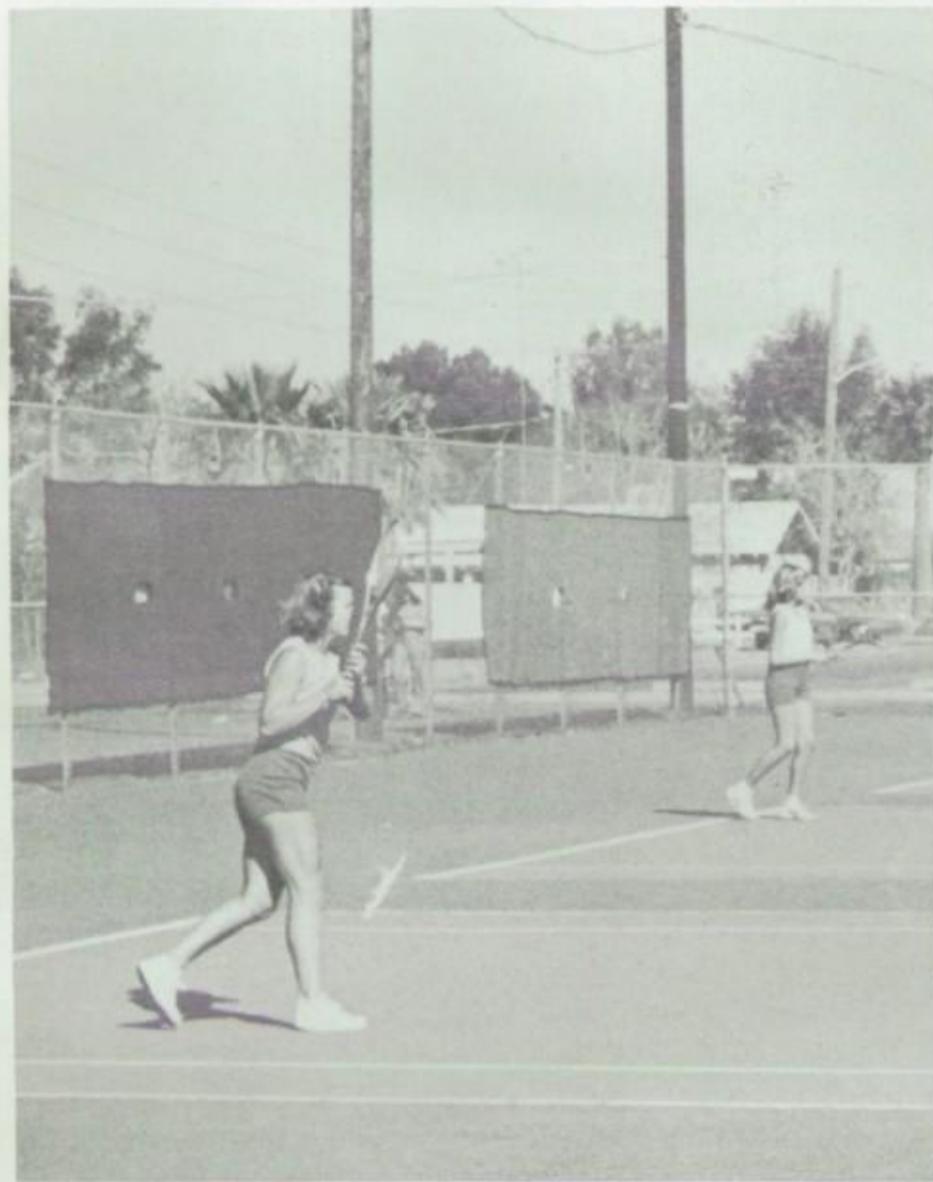
(Left) Sophomore Russell Goff serves across to his opponent from Saguaro. Russell went on to win the match 8-1. (Below) BOYS' JUNIOR VARSITY TENNIS: (front) Russell Goff, Jeff Anderson, (back) Tim Wise, John Kluver, Dennis Fitzgibbons, Brad Skaggs.



(Above) Senior Kent Wilson returns a serve from his opponent from Coronado. Kent lost the match 6-2. (Left) Junior John Kluver returns a volley during practice in preparation for his next match. John won the next match 6-2.



(Top) Senior Shirley Avey and junior Sallie Sonneman discuss their upcoming match. (Top Left) **JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS' TENNIS:** (front) Beth Nowlin. (back) Lisa Etheredge, Laura Valdez, Donna Bunnell, Rita Meyer, Anna O'Connell, Heather Jacobs, Laura Bunnell. (Above) Sallie Sonneman returns a serve from her practice partner. (Right) Senior Shirley Avey slams a return back to her opponent during one of her matches.



(Left) Shannon Macey returns a volley across the net to her practice partner. (Below) VARSITY GIRLS' TENNIS: (front) Sallie Sonneman, Shannon Macey, Neomi Rascon, (back) Dawn Nabors, Jenny Coxon, Lucia Bramanti, Eileen Misunas, Shirley Avey.



Girls win tennis marathon match

The first win of the season for the varsity girls' tennis team came in the match against Coronado. It took part of the day and part of the night, a marathon three-hour singles victory by Jenny Coxon, and a two out of three edge by the doubles units for the Casa Grande High School girls' tennis team to produce their first win of the season against Coronado. But the Cougar girls did what they had to do, finally emerging with a 5-4 victory, and evened their season record to 1-1 at that point in the season. The Casa Grande junior varsity came through also, taking a convincing 7-2 win over Coronado. The Cougars didn't fare so well against their next foe, the McClintock Chargers.

"We lost 6-3 to the Tempe Racquet

Club, also known as McClintock High School," stated girls' tennis Coach Margaret Leard after she watched her Cougars lose their second match of the season.

"The first four players we saw were members of the Tempe Racquet Club," she explained.

"It's hard to beat that kind of training."

The Yarsity team had only one senior on it this season. Shirley Avey was the only one. She has played in the tennis program for four years at this high school. Neomi Rascon played the No. 1 singles position as well as the No. 1 doubles team with Shannon Macey most of the season.

Girls' Varsity Tennis

Opponent

Mt. View
Coronado
McClintock
Marcos de Niza
Chandler
Westwood
Tempe
Yuma
Kofa
Arcadia
Mesa
Saguaro
Chaparral
Scottsdale

We They

Boys' track runs with quality, not quantity

When the Casa Grande High School track teams opened their 1979 season, they were testing a theory-quality beats quantity.

Manuel Quintanar, head track coach for the boys said it first; "We wanted quality, people who can get us the points in the big meets. We're not worried about numbers; what we have out are good people."

Coach Quintanar counted on points from sprinters Ray Glass and Ray Crockett, quatermiler Bob Hardin, distance runners Manuel Hernandez, Louis Garza, and John Vega, weightmen Russ Means and Kris

Evangelo, long jump artist Johnny Moore, and vaulter Steve Gater.

Quintanar was especially pleased with Ray Crockett, who is a junior, and Ray Glass, who is only a sophomore. "Those two worked hard," the Cougar coach praised, "It helped the others to see the work. Ray Crockett worked a lot harder on his own this year." The Cougar track squad consisted of only two teams this season. A varsity and a Junior Varsity team. There wasn't a frosh track team this season due to lack of participation. Senior Russ Means placed third in the discus at the University of Arizona with a toss of 141-11.



(Above) Coach Lou West takes a rest after demonstrating techniques in hurdling.



(Above) BOYS' VARSITY TRACK: (front) Danny Decker, Manuel Hernandez, Scott Carpenter, Ed Valdez, Luis Garza, Derrek White, Steve Gater. (middle) Marty Peterson, Alfonso Salazar, David Rascon, Bob Hardin, John Bega,

Ray Crockett. (back) Russ Means, Jason Burk, Jim Nicodemus, David Montiel, Robert Norris, Gary Falls, Vernon Berry, Ray Glass, Jim Dickson, Eric Kleinman. (Right) Junior Bob Hardin leans for the finish line to win the race.





(Left) Senior Russ Means slings the discus for 140 feet. (Below Left) Junior Ray Crockett races his finger upward to tell the people he is #1 after winning the 100 yard dash. (Below) **JUNIOR VARSITY TRACK:** (front) Tom Floring, Terry Glass, Tino Hernandez. (back) Clarence Edwards, Bob Luce, Ray Begay, Reyes Villanueva.



(Above) The 440 yard relay team practices passing the stick at practice. The team consisted of Ray Glass, Bob Hardin, Jim Dickson, Ray Crockett. (Left) Juniors Derrek White and Teve Gater take a warmup lap at practice before they start their workouts.

(Right) Donna Pittman clears the last hurdle on her way to victory in the 100 yard low hurdles. (Below Right) Stacy Warne and Sheila Williams round the bend on their final workout lap. (Below) Carmen Garcia breaks the string in first place after winning her race.



(Above) Donna Pittman clears the second hurdle way out in front of her competitors. (Right) Sally Nymark keeps her pace in running the grueling mile race.

Gentle jocks use the same theory as the guys

The female Cougar track team also used the same theory that the boys' Track team did: Quality beats quantity. Kathy Markham, the girls' Track coach stated, "We're looking very good, even though we don't have a lot of depth. Everybody worked hard because we thought we could do a lot better than last year."

Coach Markham had state class tracksters in sprinters Donna Pittman, Sheila Williams, Stacy Warne and Edna Gilder, distance runner Carmen Garcia, and field event special lists Karen Davis, Irene

Villareal, and Kathy Burk.

Among the Female cougars, Donna Pittman and Karen Davis stood out above all. Pittman established school records this season in the 220 yard dash and the 100 yard dash with times of 26.1 and 11.27 respectively. Davis, another school record holder, finished the season ranked among the state in the discus.

"She worked hard to win state," Markham commented. Davis also put the shot along with teammates Irene Villareal, Kathy Burk, Tami Schaffer and Sally Nymark."



(Above) Teresa Cleaver practices her long jump during practice.



(Above) GIRLS' VARSITY TRACK: (front) Sally Nymark, Yolanda Lopez, Lori Alexander, Sheila Williams, Donna Pittman. (middle) Coach Kathy Markham, Lori Volmer, Julie Parks, Carrie Taylor, Carmen Garcia, Tara Brady. (back) Mgr. Tammy Craddock, Karen Davis, Kathy Burk, Teresa Cleaver, Donna Jackson, Jerri Edwards, Coach Dean Irgens. (not pictured) Stacy Warne, Tami Shaeffer, Irene Villareal. (Left) Tara Brady watches Sally Nymark stretch out before practice.

(Right) Coach Pat McClellan yells instructions to a batter in the hitting cage. (Below) **JUNIOR VARSITY BASEBALL:** (front) Bobby Aguirre, Felipe Becerra, Danny Wallace, Issac Perez, Danny Apodaca, Joe O'Don-

nell, (middle) Roby Everhart, Carlos Cruz, Tommy Garcia, Robby Church, Jeff Brown, Mgr. Ray Lawson. (back) Manuel Apodaca, Tracey Jaquay, Kevin White, Marty Bidegain, Coach Pat McClellan.



Frosh team loses coach; J.V. gets a new coach

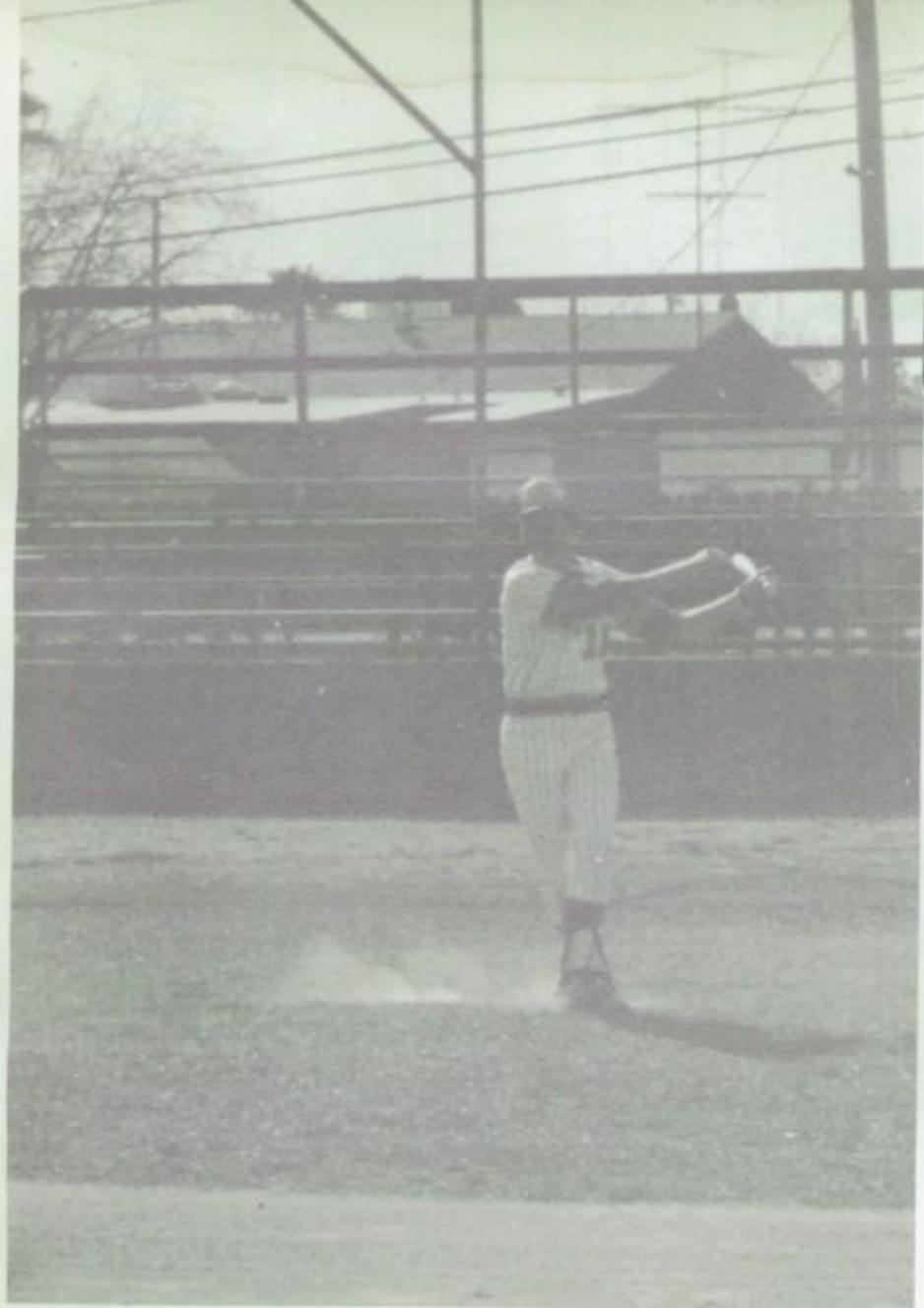
Freshmen baseball got off to a shakey start this season. Coach David Narramore broke his leg skiing the third week of practice and missed the first few games. Coach Jack Jones took over and led the team for the first week of competition. Coach Jones developed his own set of signals to be used in the games. The team referred to his signals as "Sick dog" signals. Coach Jones admitted, "I enjoy coaching. I like to have fun while I am coaching. That is why I use such out of place antics when I am leading a team. I think the team had fun under me and I enjoyed them. They may not have learned much, but they had fun trying."

The junior varsity baseball team also

got a new coach, but it was for the whole season. Coach Pat McClellan took over the reins as head coach after Coach Joe Nix was promoted to assistant varsity baseball coach. Coach Pat McClellan assisted Coach Clint Myers in leading the 1978 Cougar baseball team to the AAA state championship. The same team repeated the challenge by winning the A American Legion State Championship. Coach Joe Nix assisted Coach Myers in that feat. No team has ever won back to back state championships like the Cougars did. All 8 seniors that started last year are playing college ball somewhere. Senior Ricky Gamez was also drafted by the Detroit Tigers.

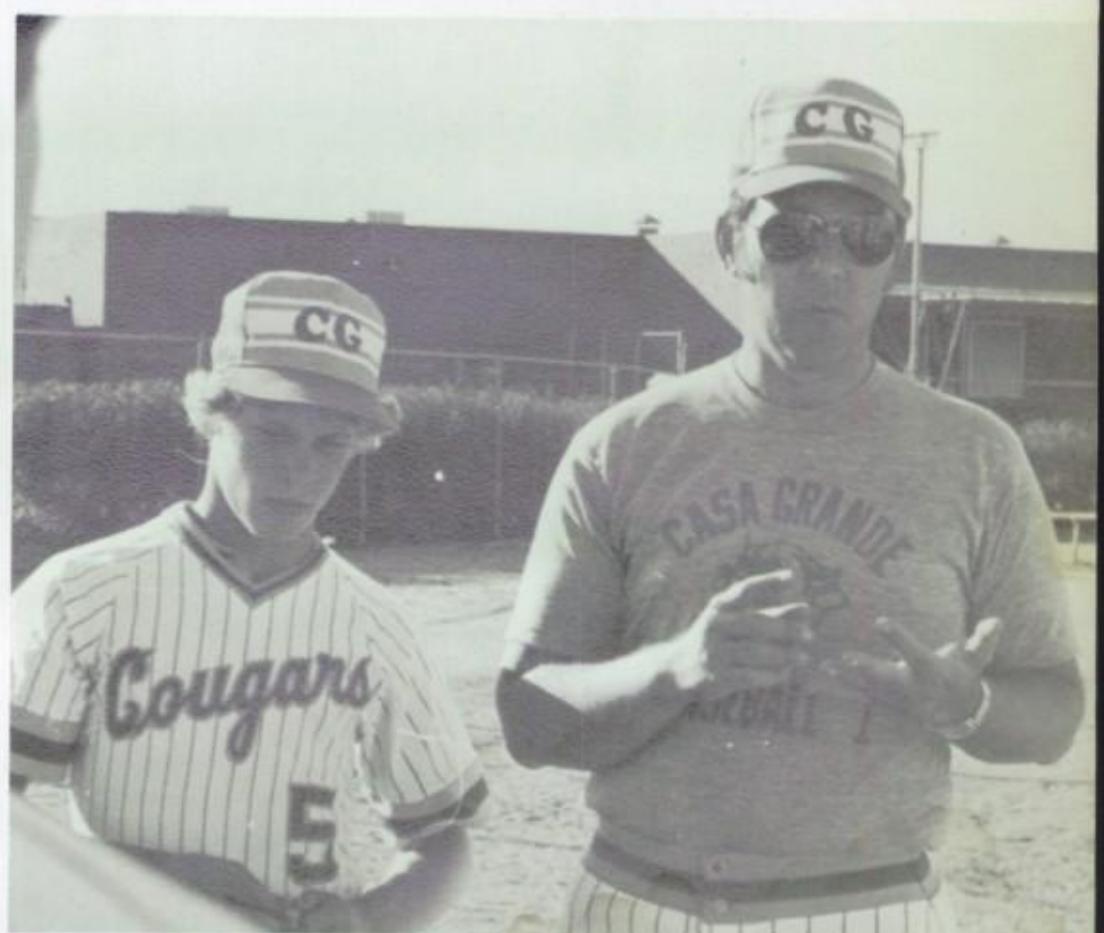
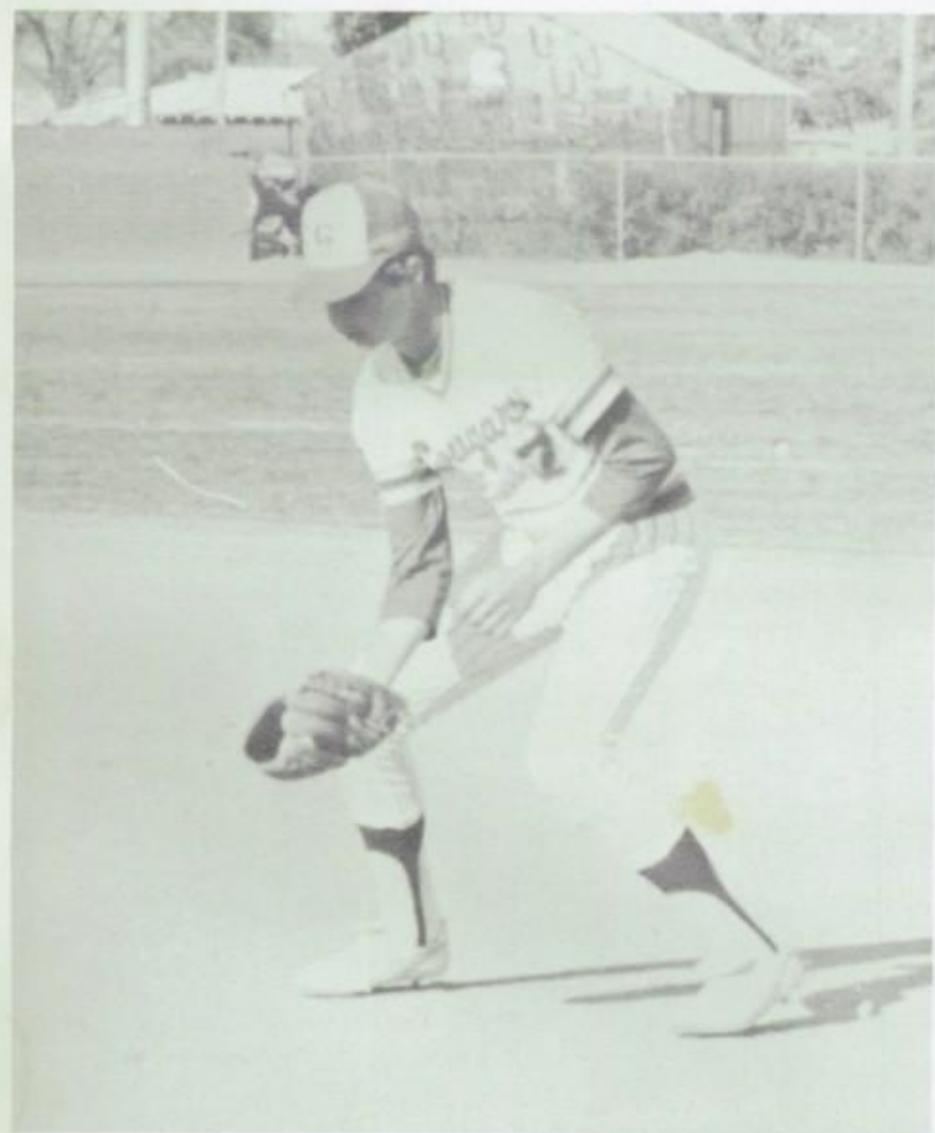


(Above) Freshmen Felipe Becerra takes a ground ball hit at him and tosses it to the second basemen.



(Left) Jeff Brown warms up the infield before a game by hitting ground balls to them. (Below) **FRESHMEN BASEBALL:** (front) Ray Avalos, Mike Jameson, Chris Nieto, Richard Garcia, Martin Rascon, (middle) Brian Humble, Resendo Pinon, Mike

Apodaca, Jerry Dean, Anthony Guzman, Ted Huntington. (back) Darrel Fullerton, Coach Jack Jones, Steve Whitfield, Richard Peace, Rick Molnar, Ed Apodaca, Eloy Marquez, Paul Garcia, Rick Blyman. (not pictured) Coach David Narramore.



(Above) Coach Jack Jones explains his signals to the team before a game. (Left) Tracey Jauay fields a ball hit to him during the Marcos de Niza game.

Can the Cougars repeat as State Champs?

Will Casa Grande repeat as state Class AAA prep baseball champions? The inevitable answer: Yes.

That's the opinion of Cougar head Coach Clint Myers, who fulfilled his pre-season prediction of a state title a year ago by guiding Casa Grande to their first-ever championship in 1978.

"Yes, it's within our realm to win state again," Myers offered as he began the second week of workouts. "But, it will be tougher this year because we lack experience." After a moment, he added, "Yeah, we're definitely a contender for the championship."

When you consider Myers was

named AAA coach of the year after winning the state trophy in only his second season at Casa Grande with a 24-4 record, not to mention guiding the Cougars to two consecutive league championships, it's little wonder most pre-season predictions will agree with his assessment. But, if the Cougars manage to put together back-to-back championships, it won't be done in quite the same way, Myers predicted.

"It will be different from last year," he said, "but not by choice. We're having to adjust to what we have to work with, utilize our strengths and realize our weaknesses." This year's team will rely more often on the bunt, steal, hit-and-run, and a sound defense.

Varsity Baseball

Opponent	We	They
Marcos de Niza	10	2
Chandler	9	17
McClintock	0	9
Coronado	2	8
Westwood	1	3
Scottsdale		
Chaparral		
Chaparral I		
Mesa		
Mesa		
Yuma		
Yuma		
Tempe		
Tempe		
Arcadia		
Arcadia		
Saguaro		
Saguaro		
McMinville, Oregon		



(Above) BOYS' VARSITY BASEBALL: (front) Mgr. Dan Evers, Gilbert Trotter, Steven Gilbert, Ramon Cruz, Randy Robbins, Tom Deall, Dion Garcia. (middle) Adam Rodriguez, Jeff Zimmerman, David Evers, Dean Hudson, Mark Kness, Danny Apodaca, Mgr. Kenny Dodge. (back) Coach Clinton Myers, Wayne Bonham, Greg Harasha, Doug McEvoy, Johnny Avalos, Jed Coxon, Kevin Ratliff, Grant Walton, Coach Joe Nix. (Right) Kevin Ratliff tries to put the tag on a Marcos de Niza runner who was caught off the bag. The runner was called out.





(Top) Kevin Ratliff traps the ball and tries to put the tag on the runner. (Above) Grant Walton walks back to the dugout after scoring from third base on a wild pitch. (Left) Senior David Evers gets the signal from Coach Nix and steals on the next play.

Teachers need a break

It's sometimes funny that students take teachers for granted. One thing that is heard often is "Mr. So & So is so easy! I took one of his tests yesterday and he gave me an "A". What this student doesn't realize is that Mr. So & So doesn't **give** "A's", you have to earn them by working and studying. If teachers went around "giving" students A's, there wouldn't be any point in students going to school.

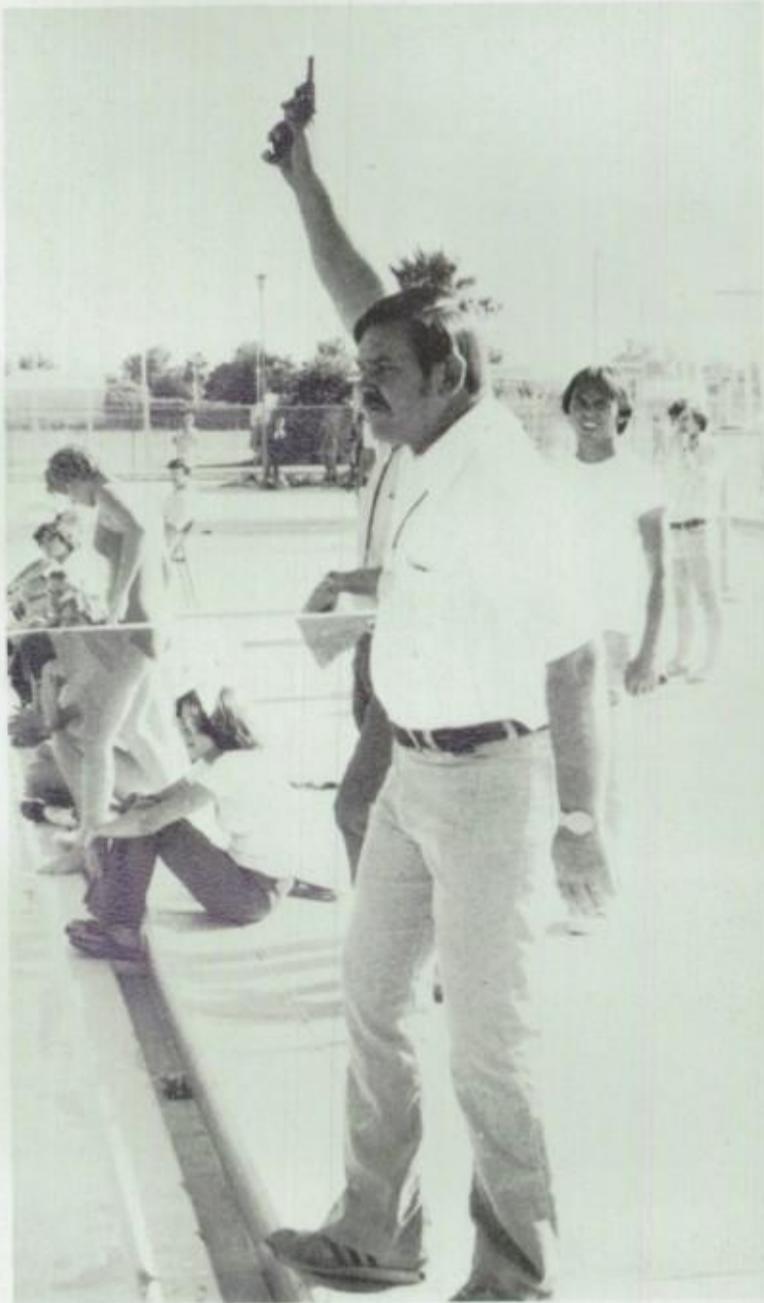
Whether or not we realize it, teachers are often put in a bind by students. For example one conversation that is common: "Mr. So & So, I've worked hard all year long and you know I've done all my work, but somehow I'm three points away from an "A". Please give me the three points, so my parents won't kill me". "Well, Student "X", says teacher, "I don't think it would be fair for me to give you three points more, when I can't give them to anyone else. People would think I'm playing favorites with you."

So student "X" is out of an "A" by three points and Mr. So & So feels like a first class ham. But the teachers have to do their job.



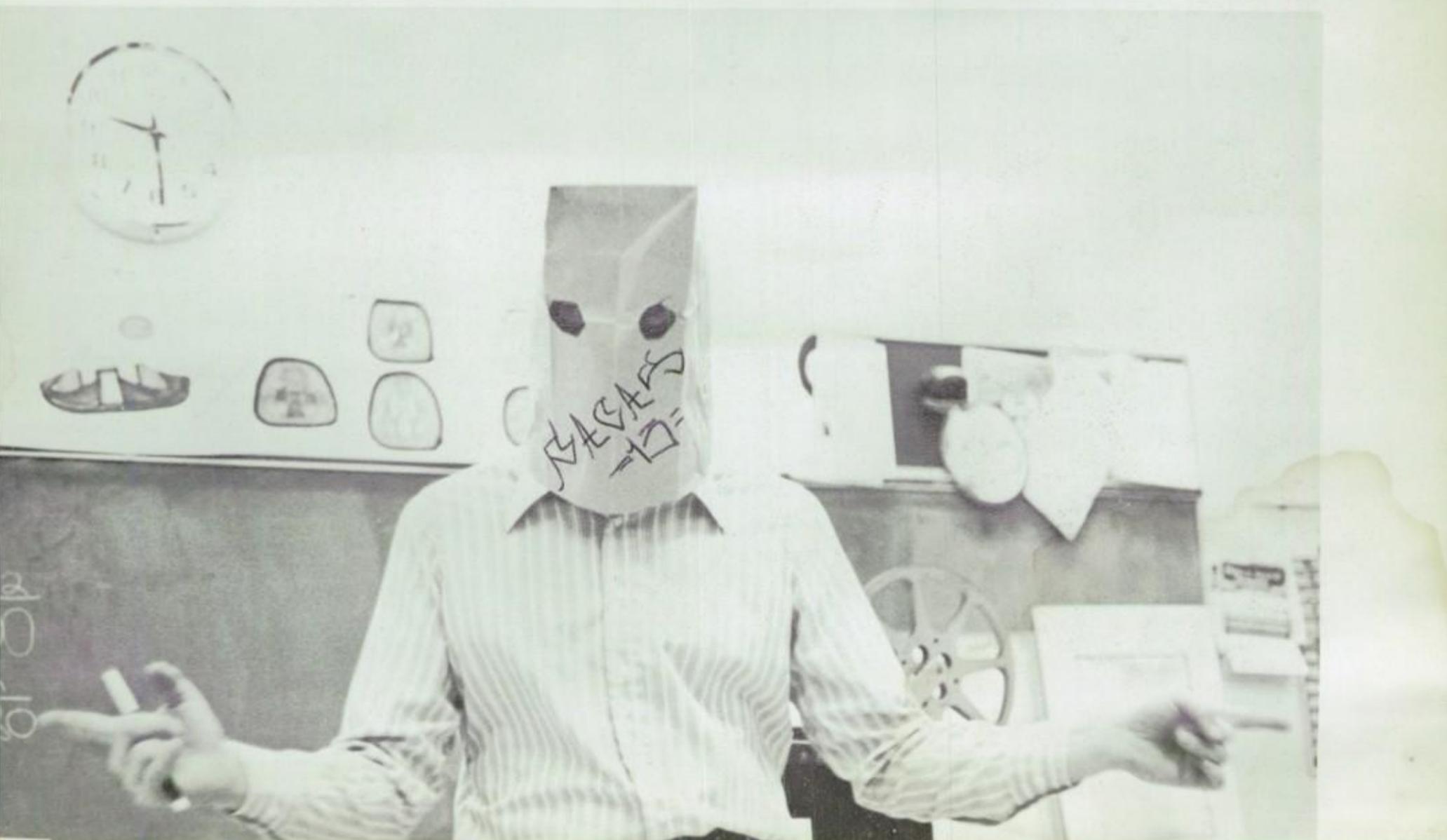
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WE'RE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER



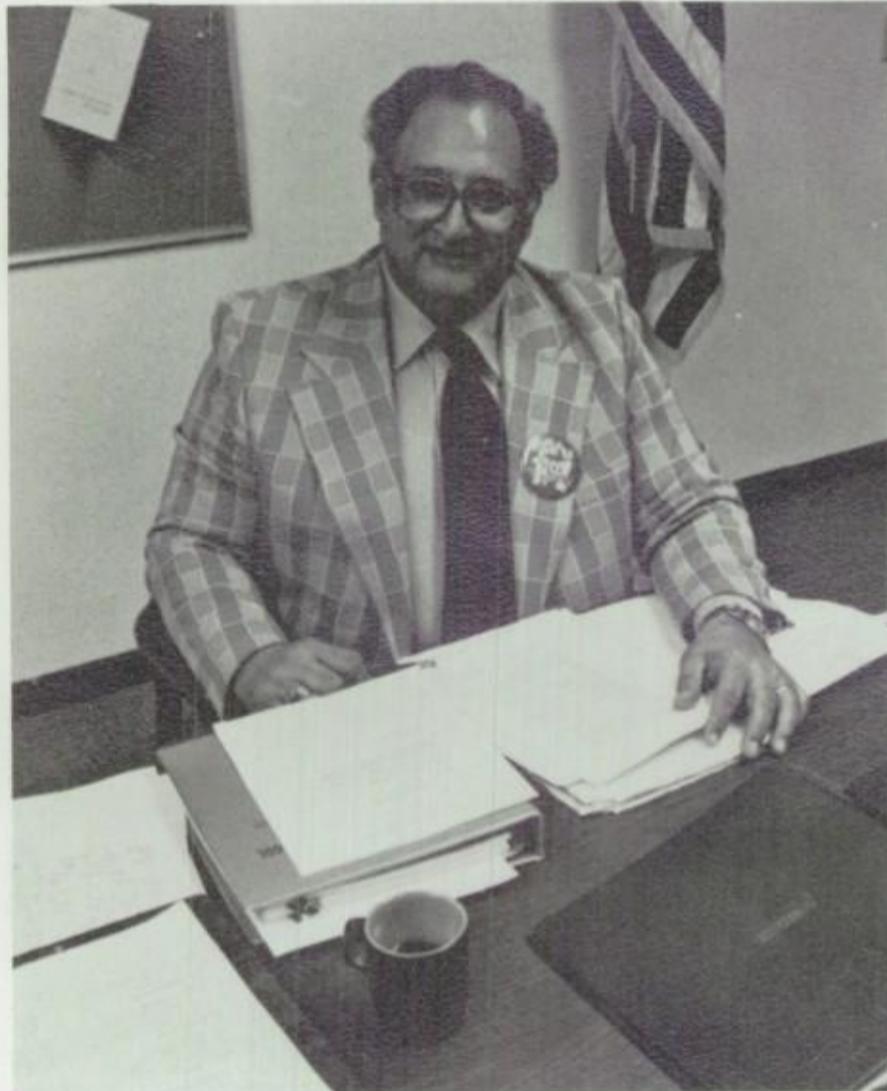
(Left) Mrs. Joan Walton demonstrates to her third hour cooking class the importance of making a perfect batter while preparing a cake. (Above) Mr. Jon Berryhill, freshman English teacher, pulls the trigger to sound the start of the girls' swimming relay event during a home meet. (Above right) Mr. Earl Osborne, science teacher, conjures up a chemical mixture during his first hour class. (Right) The Unknown Teacher, alias Steve Martin's brother, gives an example of his wild and crazy personality that made him what he is today (which we leave for you to decide).

IN . . . ACADEMICS



Administration endures changes

Members of the Board of Education ponder changes in policy. They include Mr. Guy Acuff, Mr. Edward Y. Hooper, president; Mr. Bill Polete, Mrs. Deanna McHaney, and Mr. Quentin Coxon.



**Superintendent
Alex N. Nader**



Board of Education



**Principal
Charles David Evers**



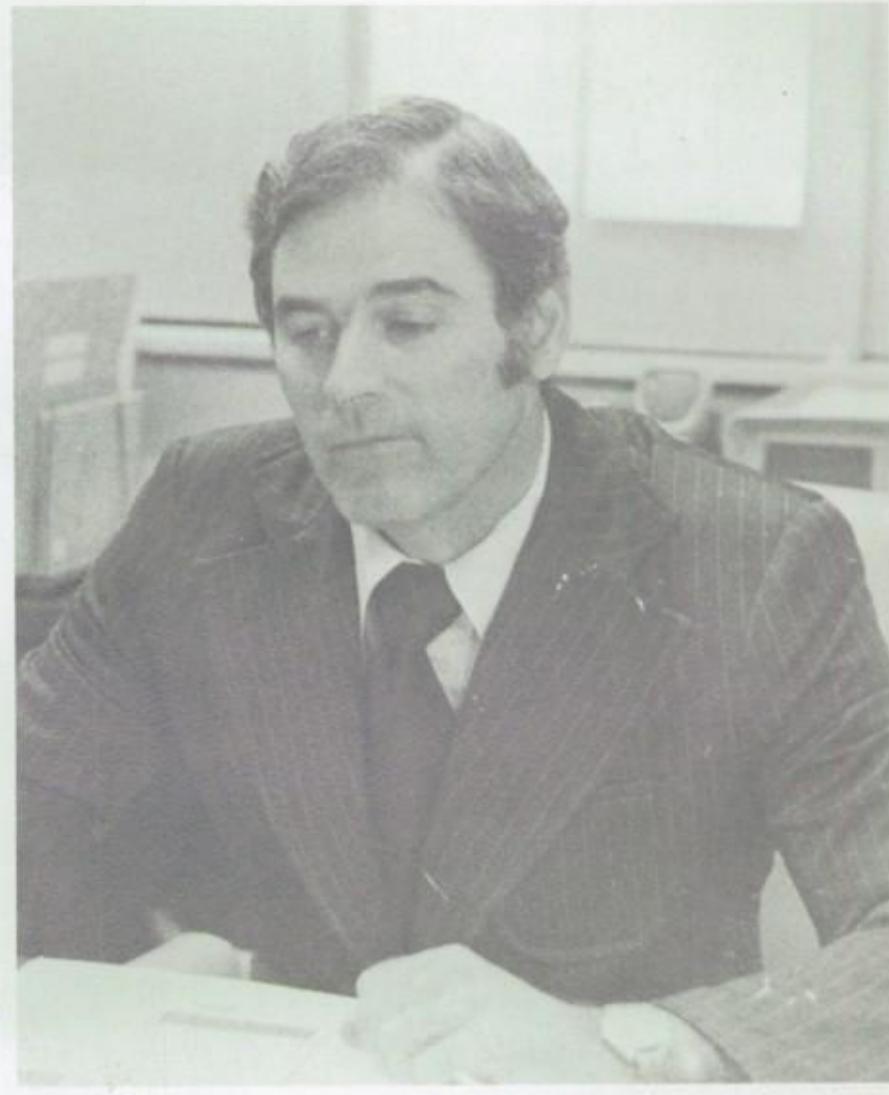
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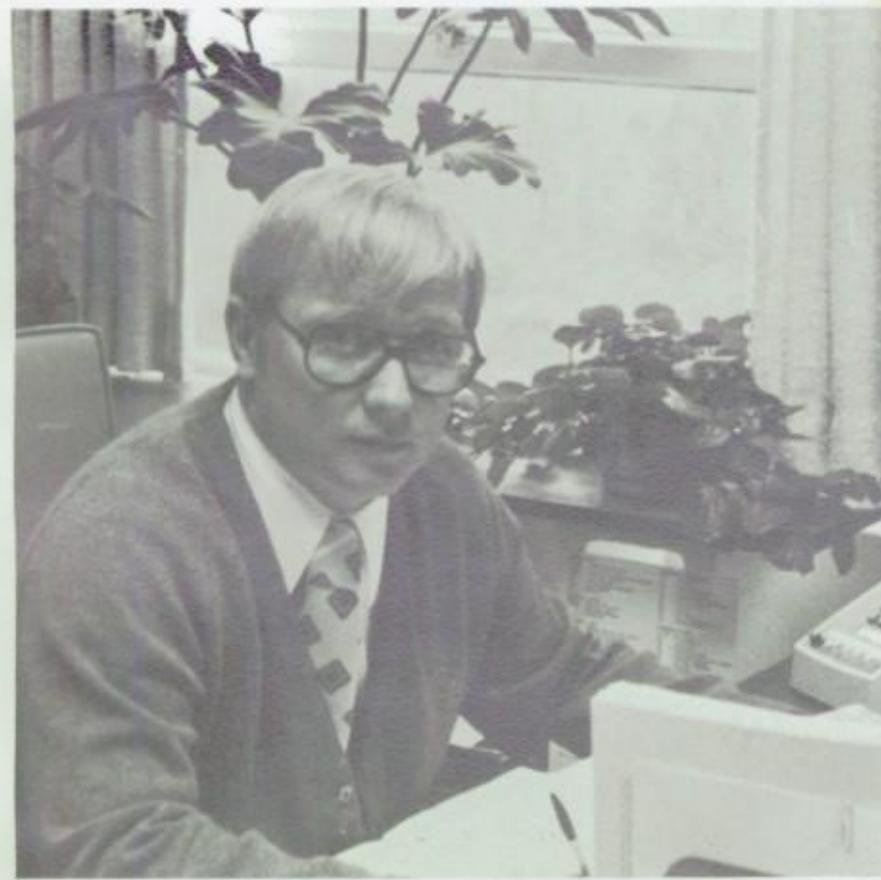
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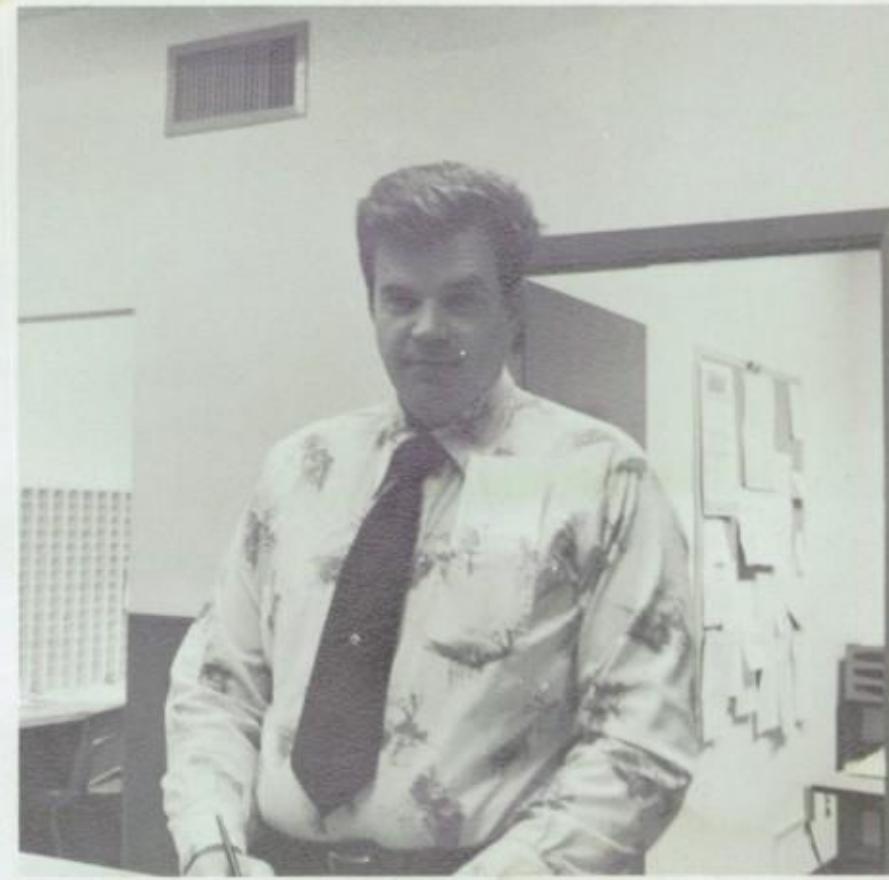
**Athletics and Activities
James Russum**



**Administrative Assistant
Bill Keasier**



**Assistant Principal-Discipline
Daniel Boone**



**Assistant Principal- Attendance
Jim Cooper**

Never a dull moment

I am always busy. It was a big change from vice-principal to principal. The amount of paperwork is unbelievable. And I love every minute of it," commented Principal David Evers.

Mr. Evers is a native of Illinois. He attended Union University, Miss. where he graduated and received his degree in Educational Administration.

Before becoming principal, Mr. Evers was vice-principal for six years. "I enjoy working with Mr. Boone and Mr. Cooper," he said.

Mr. Dan Boone is vice-principal in charge of discipline. Mr. Boone was a science teacher at the Junior High school before he came to CGUHS.

"A large majority of the students are super. The small majority is my job" commented Mr. Boone. He went on to say, "It's a pretty darn good student body."

Mr. Jim Cooper is vice-principal in charge of attendance. For the two previous years he had been principal at San Manuel High School. He was chosen by Mr. Evers to come and work here at CGUHS.

"It's been very exciting here. There are twice as many students and they take more pride in their campus," said Mr. Cooper. He also added, "I enjoy working with Mr. Boone, Mr. Evers and Mr. Russum. They're super people."

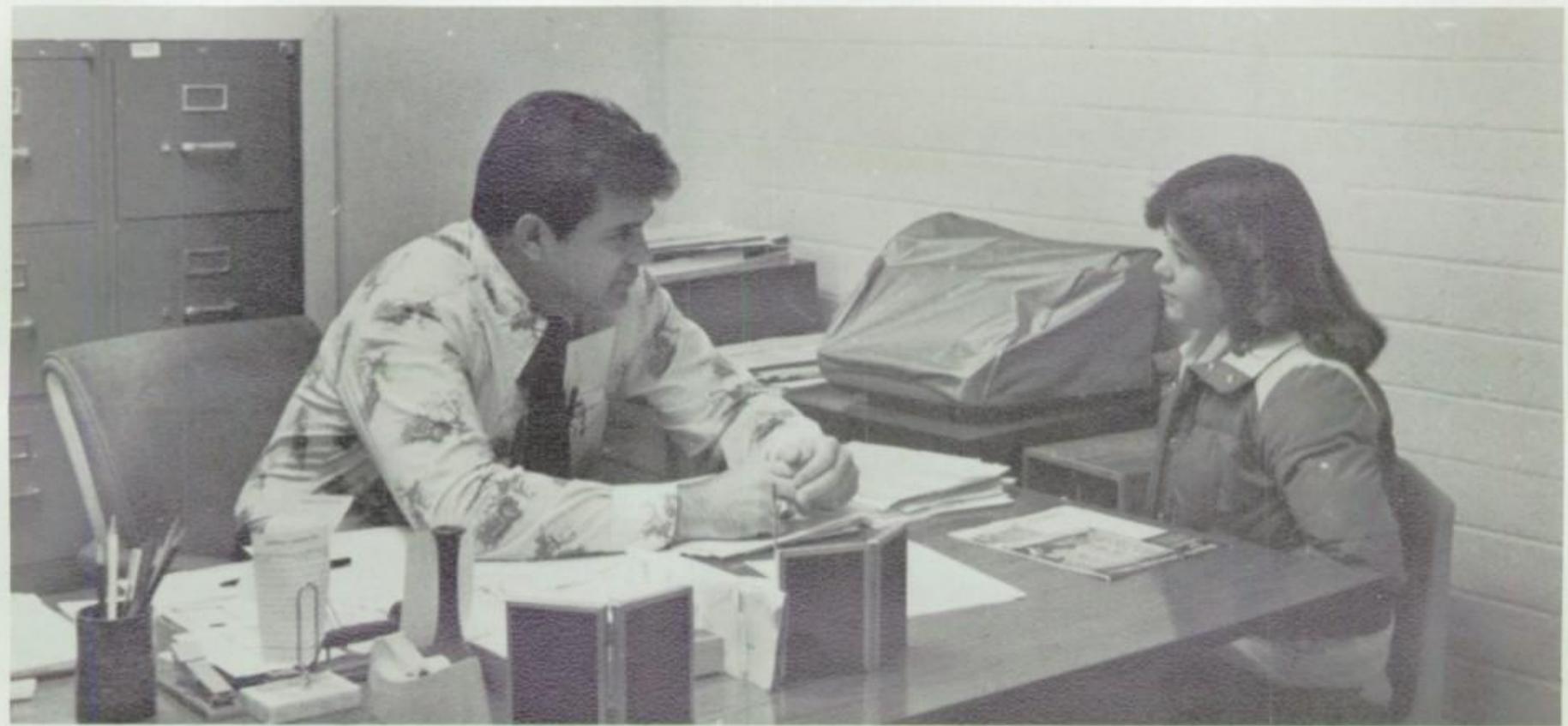
(Below) Principal David Evers looks over a map with a student in the reading department. Mr. Evers became principal after the resignation of Mr. McEuen.

Mr. William Allen: Social Studies
Mrs. Shirley Allender: English
Mrs. Vera Baca: Business Education
Mrs. Mary Louise Barhorst: Guidance Director
Mrs. Jean Beach: Home Economics
Mr. Jon Berryhill: English
Mr. William Birdsong: Business Education
Miss Elaine Bosse: English and Speech
Miss Dorotha Brown: English and Reading
Mrs. Diane Branstrom: Physical Education and Coach



Mr. William Allen
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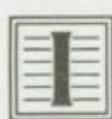


(Above large photo) Mr. Jim Cooper, vice-principal in charge of attendance, explains the new attendance policy to Michelle Hatfield. Mr. Dan Boone, vice-principal in charge of discipline, goes over a schedule with Denise Garcia and Mrs. Mary Louise Barhorst.



Mr. Jon Berryhill
Mr. William Birdsong
Miss Elaine Bosse
Miss Dorothea Brown
Mrs. Diane Branstrom

Plunkett, Huff, Dobson retire



"It's been most enjoyable," commented Mr. Robert Plunkett. He is referring to his experience here at CGUHS.

Mr. Plunkett, along with Mr. Kenneth Dobson, and Mr. Max Huff, is retiring this year after a lengthy stay. Mr. Plunkett began here in 1948 (which is the same year that Loren Curtis and Al Van Hazel started. Mr. Curtis has since past away, but Mr. Van Hazel is still going strong). There was only the main building then and Mr. Plunkett was kept very busy.

Mr. Plunkett taught for five years and in 1953 he became head of the counseling department.

His degrees include a B.A. and an M.A. from the University of Colorado. He has taught at U of A and the University of Florida.

Although Mr. Plunkett has led a busy life, he plans to lead a quiet retirement in Payson. "It has a nice climate and it's very healthy," said Mr. Plunkett.

Mr. Kenneth Dobson, sophomore counselor, is also retiring. He started teaching here in 1957 after teaching 14 years at Ohio. He began his career here by teaching chemistry, physics, general science, physical science and algebra.

His degrees include a Bachelor of Science Education from Ohio State University and a Master of Education from Kent State University.

His retirement plans include staying at his home on Morrison Avenue and spending more time with his grandchildren.

After being asked to describe his experience here he replied, "In general, it's been an experience of

learning to become a professional educator. I've watched the school almost triple its enrollment."

Mr. Max Huff, agriculture and Co-op teacher, is retiring after 20 years of teaching here at CGUHS.

Mr. Huff is originally from Michigan where he attended Michigan State University. A very strong Southern Baptist, Mr. Huff plans to go to Africa after his retirement and do missionary work there for as long as he can. "I enjoy helping people in any way that I can. And by doing missionary work I think I can be helping the best way I know how," commented Mr. Huff. He also said, "I've enjoyed working with the students here and CGUHS. I'm gonna miss them."



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Mrs. Pam
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Mrs. Georgia
Crouch
Mr. Ben Day



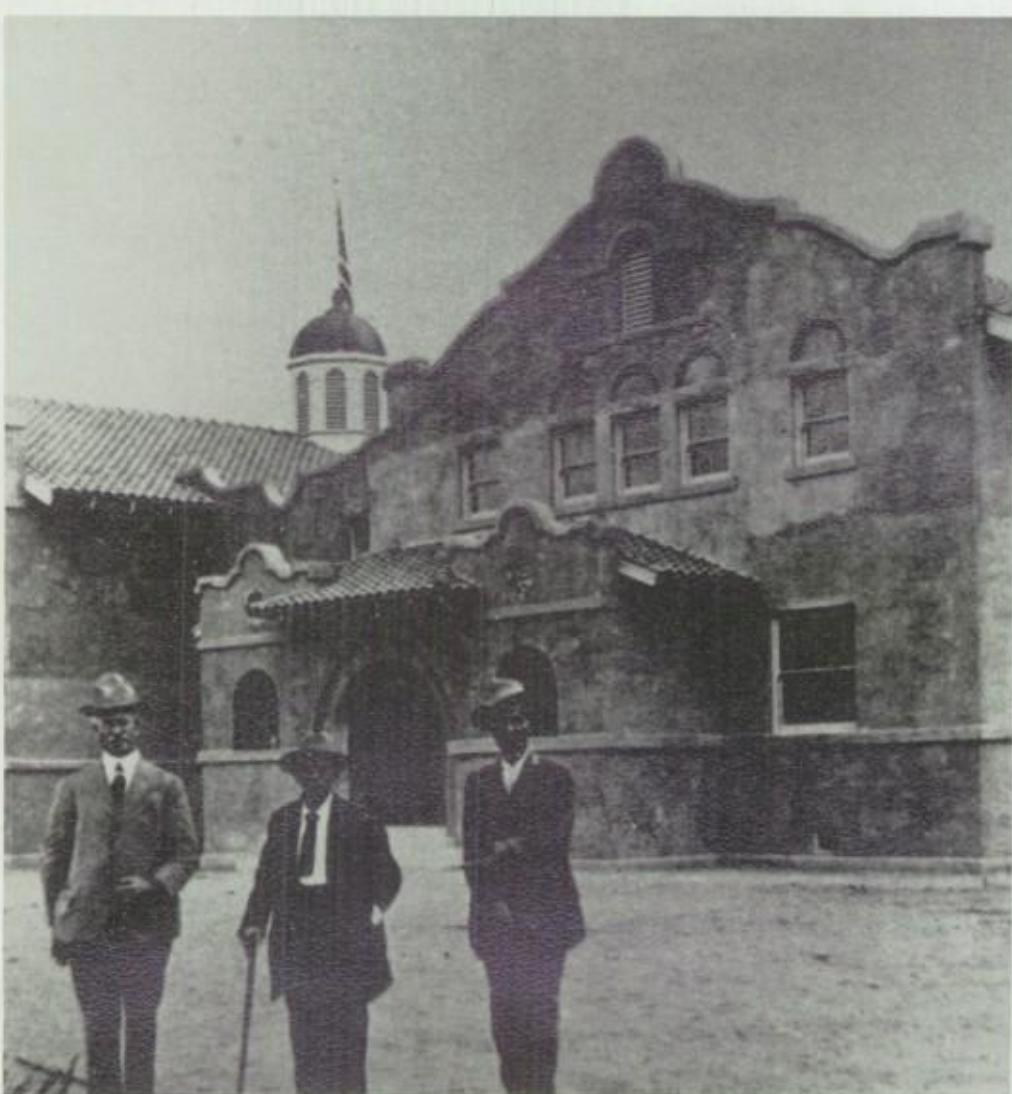


B - E

Mrs. Maxine Brutinel: Reading
Mrs. Marci Cassity: English
Mrs. Pam Clapp: English
Mrs. Georgia Crouch: Business Education
Mr. Ben Day: Vocal Music
Miss Maria Deland: Elementary Algebra
Mr. Kenneth Dobson: Guidance
Mr. Bill Eddings: Guidance
Mrs. Cindy Ellis: Social Studies
Mr. Gary Ellis: Mathematics



Miss Maria DeLand
Mr. Kenneth Dobson
Mr. Bill Eddings
Mrs. Cindy Ellis
Mr. Gary Ellis



Mr. Larry Faust
Mr. Terry Fay
Mr. William Frank
Mrs. Betty Garza
Mrs. Roma Gilbert



Centennial: 1879-1979



Good things never die; they just get better."

Sound familiar? It should!

It's an old proverb, which to this day is used over and over again.

Someone once said, "Casa Grande is a good thing." True. But since 1879, Casa Grande has bettered most or all of its good things.

Just to name one, there is the ever-popular summer hangout: the swimming pool. Many years ago it was just a hole in the ground filled with water. Improvements came along and

it progressed into a concrete-filled hole.

Another "good thing" was when the T.V. came along. People decided they wanted something more, so they created the theatres. That was a real good thing until someone decided they wanted to be able to see the movie while sitting in their car. So along came the drive-in. Casa Grande now has T.V.'s in 80% of the homes and two theatres and one drive-in.

As long as there are inventors, Casa Grande will keep improving.



F-H

Mr. Larry Faust: Biology

Mr. Terry Fay: Biology, English and Math

Mr. William Frank: Algebra and Geometry

Mrs. Betty Garza: Typing and Record Keeping

Mrs. Roma Gilbert: English

Mr. Stan Groves: American History

Mr. Terry Hall: Foreign Language

Mr. Dave Hasler: Arts and Crafts

Mr. Gerald Horst: Business Education

Mr. Max Huff: Div-Coop



Mr. Stan Groves
Mr. Terry Hall
Mr. Dave Hasler
Mr. Gerald Horst
Mr. Max Huff

Brown, Partain, Molina receive awards

It seems that CGUHS will never run out of award-winning teachers. Last year it was Mr. Rascon and Mr. Russum, now this year it's Miss Brown, Mr. Molina and Mr. Partain.

"To teach each child to think logically and creatively has been my goal as a teacher for fourteen years. Learning is a lifetime process and should be regarded by each student as an exciting lifetime adventure in education" said Miss Dorothea Brown, English and Advanced Placement teacher, placed third among 112 applicants in the Teacher of the Year contest sponsored by the State Board of Education in Phoenix.

Faculty members had to nominate all the teachers entering the contest. The requirements of nomination were skills, knowledge, dedication and had to be highly professionally oriented.

Miss Brown has been teaching at CGUHS for 14 years. During that time she has taught students at all levels from the second Session, to the Advanced Placement classes for the achievers in English.

"A teacher should be a liaison from student to family, to community, as an ambassador for education the teacher becomes the heartbeat for education in the concerned community for past educational accomplishments, present educational needs," commented Miss Brown.

This year's recommendation for AIASA state advisor of the year award is Mr. David Molina.

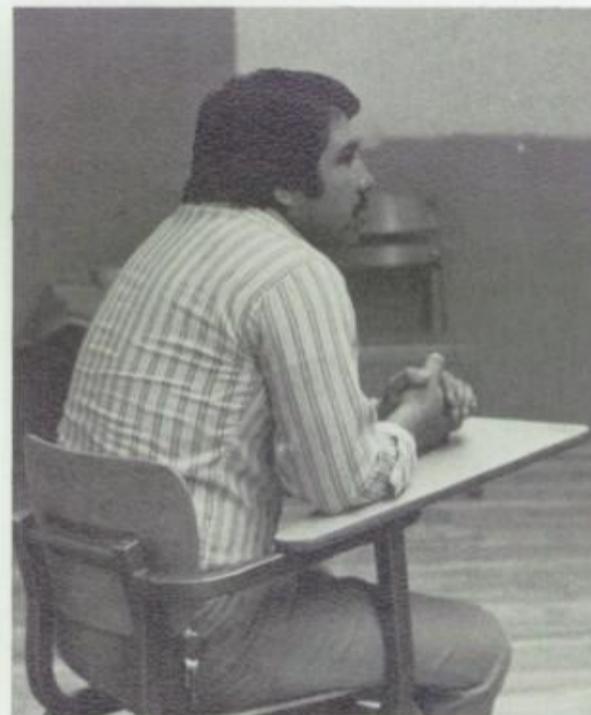
Orlando Mena, State High School representative, and Lonnie Garcia, local chapter President, submitted Mr. Molina's name in the competition. After going through all the entries, the judges awarded Mr. Molina the State Advisor of the Year.

Once starting the first AIASA Industrial Arts club at CGUHS, he served on the committee that formed the state chapter and involved students in the beginning automotive area in activity work days to prepare for further training in advanced automotive mechanics. For the community of Casa Grande, he assisted in the student-police work program, and promoted work on cars in the community.

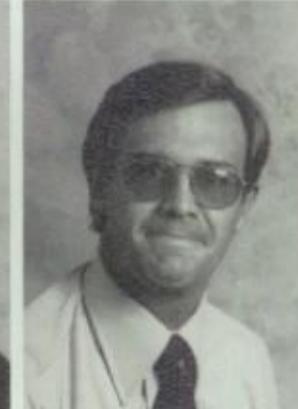
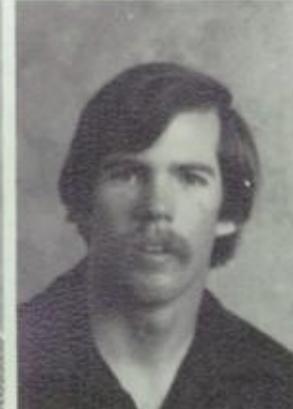
Joe Partain, coach of the Cougar Basketball team received an unexpected surprise at the Hobbs Tournament. He received the Sam Stratton Sportsmanship award. He was presented a plaque at the last game of the tournament. After accepting he said, "I was pleased and very surprised." To win this award, a coach must demonstrate good coaching sportsmanship. Later Partain admitted, "I didn't think I would win." Partain arrived in Casa Grande in 1978 and took the Cougars to divisionals.

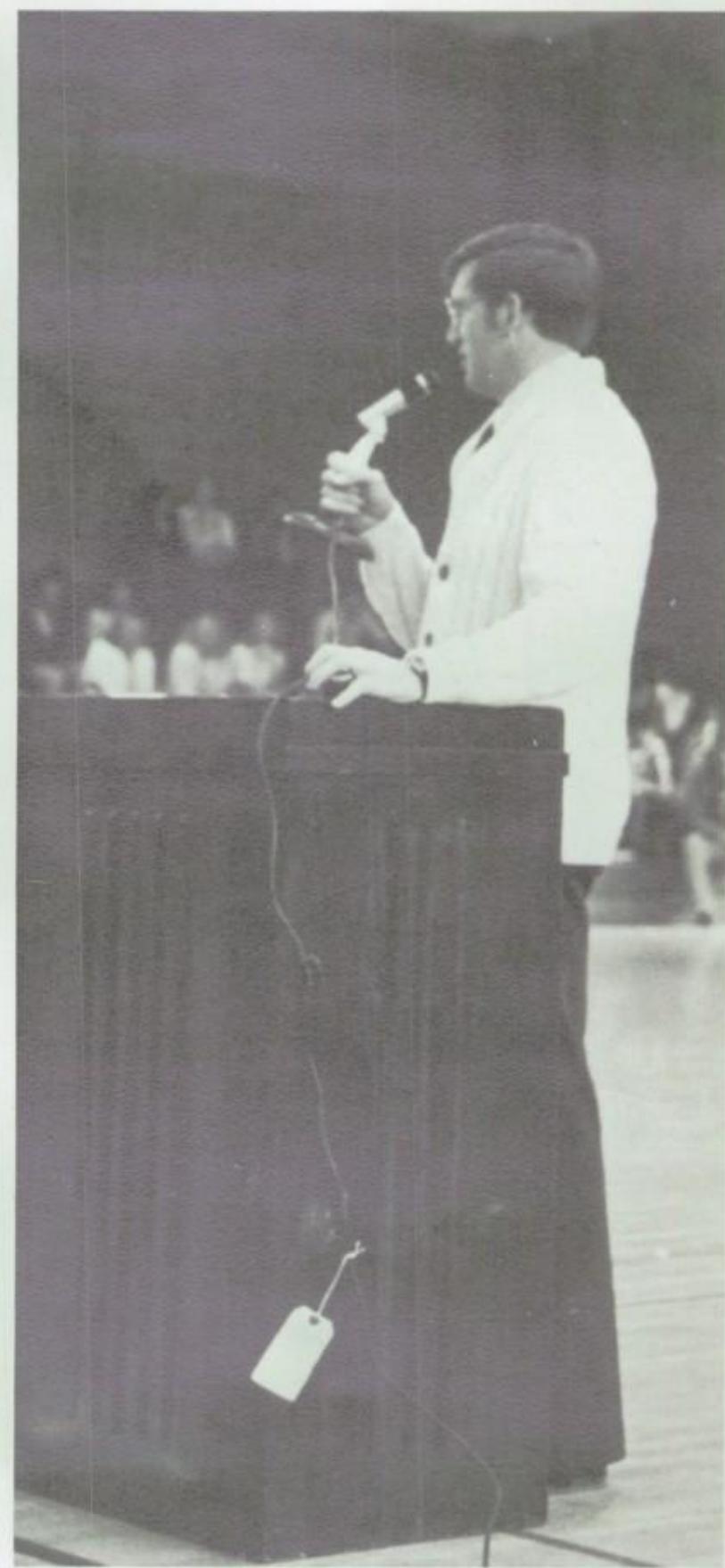
I-L

Mr. Stan Ingram: Auto Mechanics
Mr. Dean Irgens: Reading
Mr. Tony Ivins: English, Coach
Mrs. Orlando Jenkins: Resource Program
Mr. Jack Jones: Social Studies
Miss Kathy Jue: Business Education
Mrs. Ruth Ann Kehias: English
Mr. Ron Kleinman: Biology, Coach
Miss Michelle Konarski: Special Education
Miss Margaret Leard: Girls' Physical Education, Coach



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Mrs. Orlando Jenkins
Mr. Jack Jones



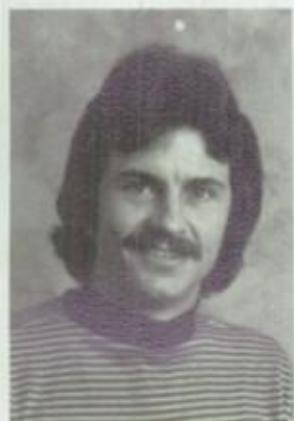


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Mr. Ron Kleinman
Miss Michelle
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Teachers at their best

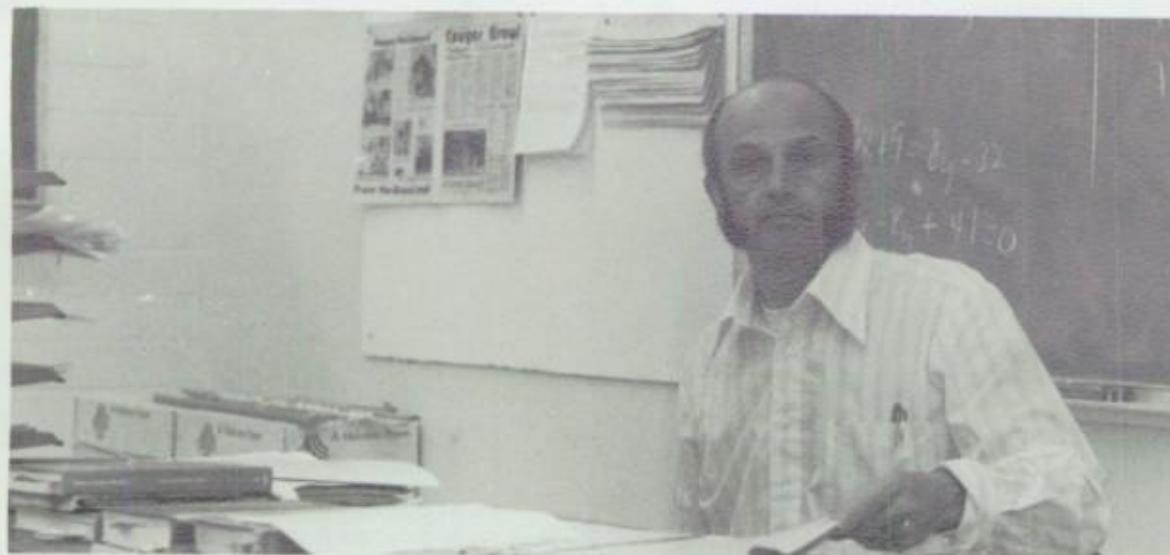


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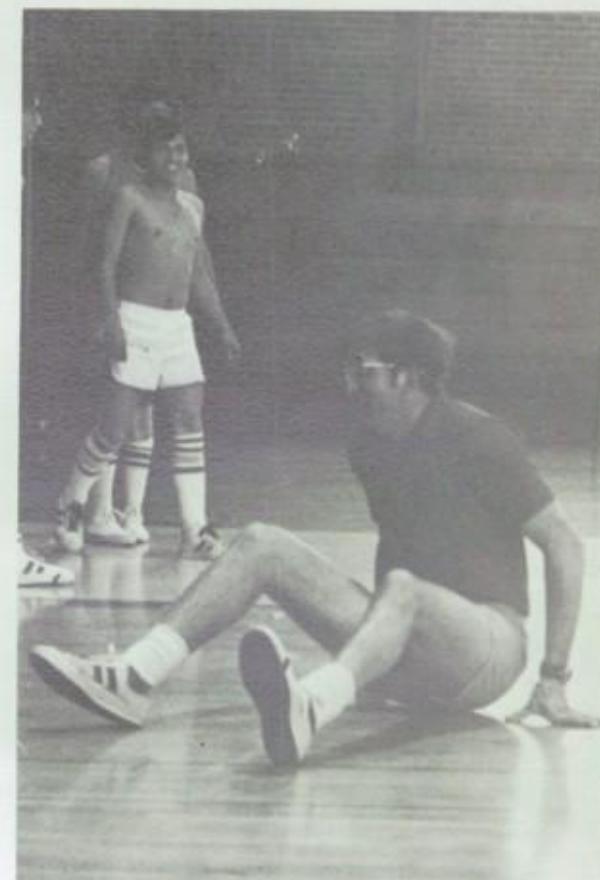
(Opposite page) Top left corner: Mr. Dave Narimore relaxes in the sun. (Opposite page) Top right corner: Mrs. Roma Gilbert instructs her senior English class. (Opposite page) left bottom corner: Mr. Larry Faust browses through a magazine. (Opposite page) lower right corner: Mr.

Steven Wagoner, alias the Incredible Hulk, demonstrates, his masculinity. Below: Mr. James Metzger helps his students in his drafting class. (Bottom) Mr. Paul Steuver is caught by surprise. Right: Mr. Joe Partain takes a fall during practice.



L-M

Mr. Manuel Leybas: Drama
Mr. Paul Litwinetz: Social Studies/Coach
Mr. Sharron Lunt: Foreign language, Social studies/Coach
Mr. Mark Louttit: Instrumental Music
Miss Kathy Markham: P.E.
Mr. John Mateja: Reading
Miss Nancy McHolland: Counselor
Miss Patricia McMullen: Special Education
Mr. James Metzger: Drafting House Plans



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Mr. Mark Louttit
Mr. Sharron Lunt
Miss Kathy Markham

FFA does it again



Once again, under the supervision of Mr. Everett Rhodes, Future Farmers of America (FFA), outdid themselves.

According to Mr. Rhodes, "they're a great bunch of kids and I'm proud of them." He is referring to the work they did growing their plants and how well they did it. You probably say, "who cares about a bunch of plants anyway?" Well, have you ever stopped to think about how much of the food you eat is from plants?

(Above left) Jeff Whisenhunt and Joe Sopha work on their welding projects. (Below left) Ricky Parris performs his daily check on his plants.

M-R

Mr. Robert Mitchell: Social Studies/Coach

Mr. Clint Myers: Drivers' Education/Coach

Mr. David Narramore: Art

Mr. Joe Nix: Industrial Arts

Mr. Joe Partain: Social Studies/Coach

Mrs. Betty Preuit: Home Economics

Mr. Jim Quinlan: English/Coach

Mr. Tony Rascon: Foreign Language/Mathematics/Coach

Mr. Everett Rhodes: Agriculture

Mr. J.D. Rimmer: Industrial Arts



Mr. Robert
Mitchell
Mr. Clint Myers
Mr. David
Narramore
Mr. Joe Nix
Mr. Joe Partain





(Left) Jeff Whisenhunt and Monty Vandenberg prepare to complete their welding projects. (Below left) Jody Haynes adds the finishing touches to his welding project. (Below) Todd Anderson clips the dry leaves off some of his plants.



Mrs. Betty Preuit
Mr. Jim Quinlan
Mr. Tony Rascon
Mr. Everett
Rhodes
Mr. J.D. Rimmer

Title I reading 'looking good'

The two new Title I teachers are young and enthusiastic and are doing a very good job," said Mrs. Nancy McEvoy. She is talking of Mr. John Mateja, and Mr. Dean Irgens.

Mrs. McEvoy is in charge of the Title I Reading Program which is open to students in grades 9 through 12 who have practical English classes. Students who work under one to one basics make better than average gains.

The reading program has two fulltime aides, which include Mrs. Hovis and Mrs. Etheredge. The classes are kept small so that students can receive individual attention.

"This year is going great because the reading department has the whole top floor of building one," commented Mrs. McEvoy. "I hope that next year will go just as well or better." Right now things are looking good!

R-W

Mr. Jim Russum: Athletics and Activities Director
Miss Kim Shipp: Vocal Music and Piano
Mr. Charles Staats: Industrial Arts
Mr. Paul Steuver: Mathematics
Mrs. Mary Sweeney: Science
Mrs. Roberta Thompson: Business Education
Mr. Steve Wagoner: Photography and Art
Mrs. Joan Walton: Home Economics
Mrs. Barbara Warren: English, Journalism and Annual
Mrs. Sheila Wayman: Home Economics



Mr. Jim Russum
Miss. Kim Shipp
Mr. Charles Staats
Mr. Paul Steuver
Mrs. Mary Sweeney





(Opposite page) Mrs. Judy Hovis, who is a fulltime aide for the reading department, is shown here with Rachel Ramos, Ben Gutierrez and Mrs. Nancy McEvoy, who is the head of the department. (This page, left) Mr. John Mateja, one of the new reading teachers, gives some of his time to Martin Duante as part of the program. (Bottom left) Mr. Dean Irgens, also a new teacher, consults with Raymond Torres on the progress he is making. (Bottom right) David Fullam, a student in the reading program questions Mrs. Judy Hovis about a book.



Mrs. Roberta
Thompson
Mr. Steve Wagoner
Mrs. Joan Walton
Mrs. Barbara Warren
Mrs. Sheila Wayman

Personnel Departments keeping busy

W-Y

Mr. Lou West: Social Studies
Mrs. Kay Ellen Wilson: Business Education
Mr. Robert Wolfenhoehler: Special Education
Mrs. Cathie Yunt: Foreign Language/Mathematics

NOT PICTURED:

Mr. Robert Brackett: Librarian
Mr. Hugh Crawford: Physical Education
Mr. Ben Crow: Auto Mechanics
Mrs. Barbara Elliott: English/Foreign Language
Mr. Paul Fields: Special Education
Mr. Ernie Forchetti: Wt. Training/Coach
Mr. Wes Flynn: Drivers' Education
Mr. James E. Grove: Mathematics/Industrial
Mrs. Nancy Hebert: Math
Mr. John Hindman: Science
Mr. Dave Linley: Mathematics/Coach
Mrs. Nancy McEvoy: Reading
Mr. Robert Mizer: Auto Mechanics
Mrs. Marian Morrow: Librarian
Mr. Earl Osborne: Science
Miss Dorothy Palumbo: Social Studies/Coach
Mr. Rodney Purdom: Physical Education/Health/Coach
Mr. Manuel Quintanar: Foreign Language/English/Coach
Miss Mary Colleen Slavin: Physical Education/Coach
Mr. Jack Spilsbury: Physical Education
Mr. Ronald Standage: Science/Mathematics
Mr. Al Van Hazel: Physical Education
Mrs. Donna Zimmerman: English

What's one word that can describe the secretaries, the janitors, the cafeteria workers and the librarians?

Helpful!

Who do you go see when you have to know where something is? Who always has time to see you when someone else doesn't? The secretaries!

Who do you go see when your locker is jammed and you can't get it open? Who do you go to see when you need a special kind of bolt or screw for your art project that you've been working on for weeks, and suddenly find out you bought the wrong bolt? The custodians!

When you've got the munchies at lunch but you only have 75¢ to splurge, who can help you with this problem? The cafeteria workers!

When you are one article short for your project, who knows "just where to find it?" The librarians!

Whether you realize it or not, these four groups of people are a valuable asset to CGUHS.

(Seated left right) Judy Harrison, Lydia Amado, Irene Marek, Angie Martin, Antonio Rascon, John Eastvold, Gildardo Amado. (2nd row) Don Martin, Manuel Salcido, Walter Shea, Bob Crow, Jesus Almarez, Terry DeCarr, Frank Rangel, Ralph Amado, Ed White. (3rd row) Art Contreras, Jack Harer, Dewayne Risenhoover, Herman Pottebaum, Allan Morgan, Al Osborn, Victor Harer, Smith Robinson. Not Pictured: Pete Hernandez, Ruby Trevino, Richard Harwood, Sharon Dean.



Mr. Lou West
Mrs. Kay Ellen Wilson
Mr. Robert Wolfenhoehler
Mrs. Cathie Yunt





(Top) No, we didn't catch the secretaries on a coffee break. They took time out of their hectic day to pose for the picture. Mrs. Selena Marrow, Mrs. Geraldine Kozad, Mrs. Sonia Wood, Mrs. Jane Kyle, Mrs. Susan Chandler, Mrs. Myrna Gadis, Mrs. Sharon Farrow, Mrs. Jean Viche, Mrs.

Marjorie Hasler, Mrs. Georgia Brashier, Mrs. Janice Maddux, Mrs. Edith Beasley, Mrs. Norma Jepsen, and Mrs. Frankie Kuffel. (Not pictured) Mrs. Donna Staats, Mrs. Gloria McLearn, Mrs. Marion Johnson, Mrs. Olga Ornelas, Mrs. Mary Curles, Mrs. Joyce Grigg, Mrs. Connie Ross, and

Mrs. Jenny Sanders. (Above left) The Librarians: Mrs. Marion Morrow, Mrs. Marion Johnson, and Mr. Robert Brackett. (Above right) Students take advantage of the quiet surrounding in the library to study.

WE'RE ALL IN



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IN THESE CLASSES

With all the new rules and administration in the school this year, the students had to put up with all the changes. Some examples of the changes are as follows:

1. Admits were not required.
2. No phone calls or notes were required.
3. Three tardies equalled one absence.
4. Students were marked absent for not being in class even though it was a school sponsored activity.
5. Special guidelines were set:
 - a. 5 days absent per semester, note to the parents.
 - b. 10 days absent per semester, 2nd note to parent.
 - c. 15 days absent per semester, 3rd note to parents.
 - d. Upon the twentieth (20) day absent from any class the student will receive a letter.

At the beginning of the year Mr. Evers went around to all the classrooms explaining that the new system was not meant to hurt anyone just the students who came to school to learn.

(Opposite page top) Susie Englund, Mr. Jack Jones (Santa), Terry Acuna, Sherry Crow, display their Christmas Spirit. (Lower left) Betsy Guinn, Mrs. Joan Walton stir up a concoction during class. (Lower right) Susan Sonneman, Rosie Toler, Helen Decker, Rick Miller, Tim Hubbard study for an economics in photography. (Upper left) Leonard Guzman, Daniel Jimenez just sit around passing the day during lunch. (Middle left) Kathy Blair, Demetrias Dixon, Shelly Hayes, Mary Ann O'Donnell, Janet Chafey show excitement when Demetrias is announced Homecoming Queen. (Left) Randy Durant, Scott Cassels, Joel Tanner, Roy Reeves sit at the parking lot before school.

The party's over is a good way to phrase your Senior year. Many underclassmen look forward to their Senior year as fun and games, but every Senior know it's just a myth. Of course there are many privileges to being a Senior there are also many responsibilities that go with being a Senior. This is the time Seniors decide where they are headed for the rest of their lives. For most Seniors graduation is the first big step towards their future, with many more to follow. Almost everyone sets goals for himself whether they are short range goals or long range ones, such as graduation from High school or college. Every time goals are set, decisions have to be made with some more difficult than others. Seniors worked hard to gain their position and continued to work to make it their best year. After the decisions have been taken care of, everybody sat back, took it easy and started to get involved in Senior activities. The Class of '79 worked together to make it's class one that would be remembered and respected. As the year comes to a close some of the graduates knew they would never see each other again and other would remain friends forever. Their environments would change and new goals would be set but this time, however, they knew they would be the only ones responsible for their success or failure.

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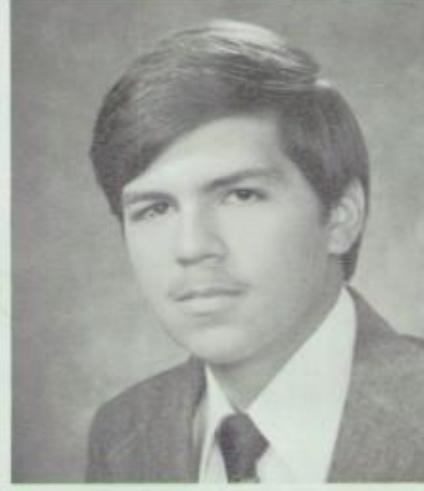
SENIORS



(Above right) Mary Ann O'Donnell, Duane Gamez, and Joe Lassuy check their notes in the Family Living class. (Bottom right) Left to right: Ruth O'Brien, Kristy Lunt, Nancy Kerns, James Jepsen sit and chat with one another in the library.



JILL ALDRIDGE
SIMON A. ALLEY
GARRY D. ALLISON



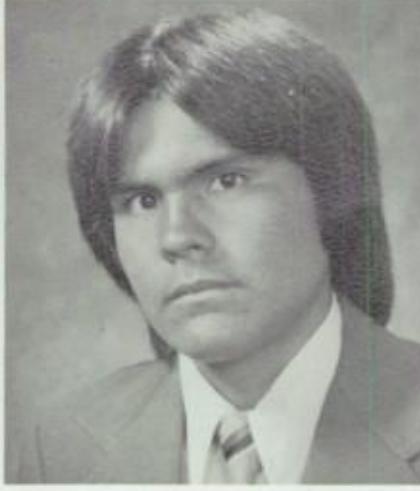
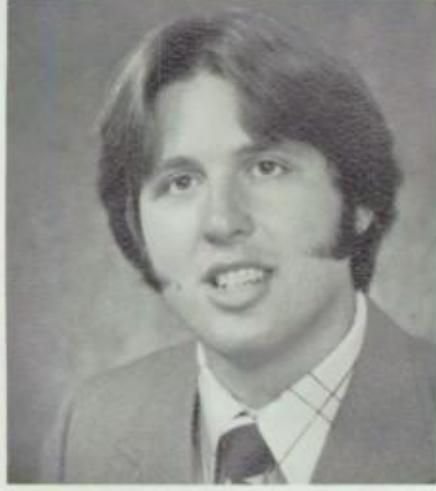
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ANGEL M. ALVAREZ
CHARLES O. ANDERSON



BRYAN J. ANTONE
Wrestling 2, 3, 4.
LUCINDA V. ANTONE
RAYMOND L. ARGEL



SHIRLEY A. AVEY
ROBERT BACA
YVETTE J. BALL *Track 1, 2, 3, 4. Honor Roll 1, 2, 4. Cross Country 4. Swimming 3. FBLA 4.*



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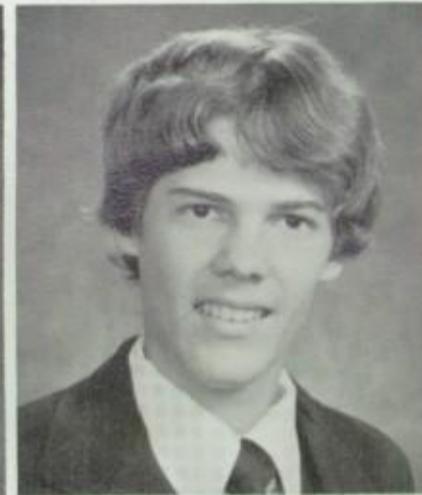
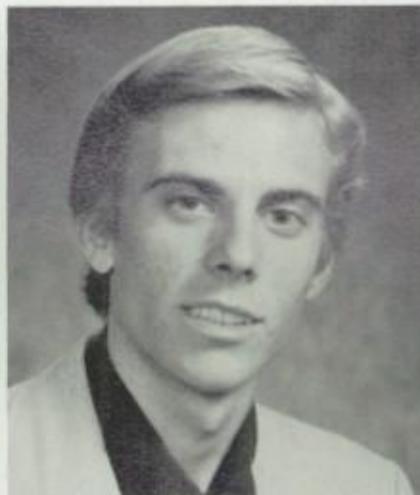
FS Student Rochelle Cooper took advantage of our foreign exchange program this year, she traveled to Brazil. Rochelle stayed with the American Dos Reis family. They live in Bauru which is in Sao Paulo State. School in Brazil is completely different than school here. For one thing they don't have electives. Instead, the school is set up in three different areas; math, science, and languages. Rochelle was in the math groups. She had five math classes. Rochelle had eleven subjects. The name of the school is Christins Cabral. Rochelle said the views the

Brazilian people hold of the U.S. are very high. They like the U.S., especially our television.

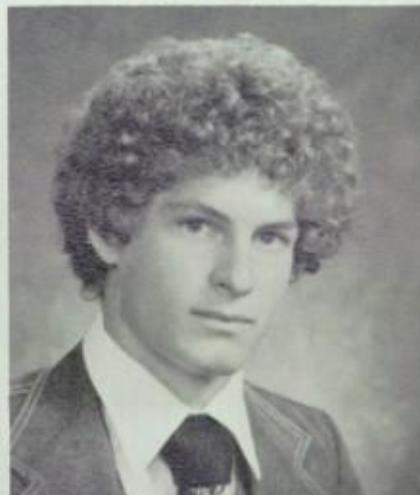
Brazilian language is Portuguese. Watching the Waltons in Portuguese is hilarious! Rochelle can speak Portuguese fluently. "The hardest part is the verbs. With every person there is a special verb. Its complicated but I got used to it," Rochelle commented. The best part of Brazil is the family life. Almost everyone has a maid. The Brazilian teenagers life is extremely care-free and easy.



VERNON R. BERRY
DAVID BINGHAM
MICHAEL BLACK



KATHLEEN BLAIR
*Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4;
Gymnastics 1, 2, 3, 4;
Cheerleader 1, 4; Girls'
League 1, 2; Principal's Ad-
visory Committee 1, 2, 3.*



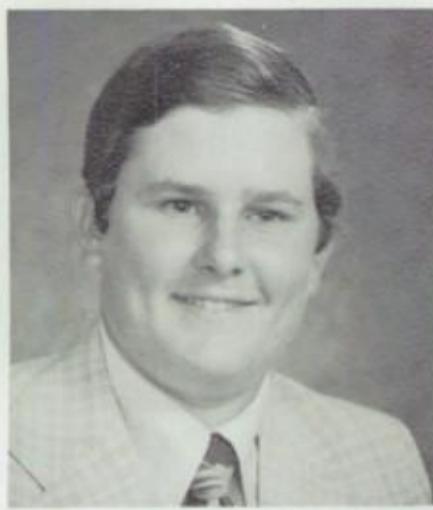
DOYLE W. BONHAM
*Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball
1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2*

JENNIFER L. BRANUM
*Executive Council 1, 2, 3,
4; Election Commission 2,
3; Marching Band 1; Choir
1, 2*

ALLEN M. BRASHIER
ERIC R. BRENDLE *Wres-
tling 1; FBLA 2, 3.*

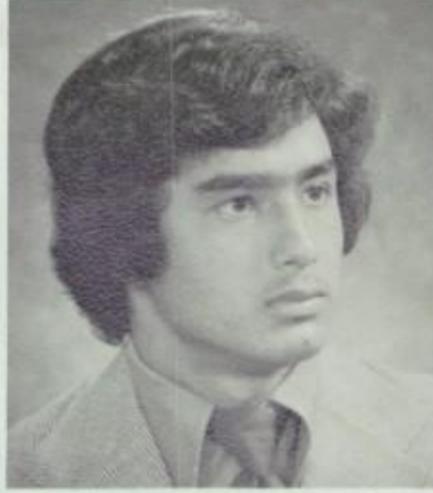
PATRICIA L. BREWER
*Blue Notes/Chorale 4;
Softball 3, 4; Girls' State Al-
ternate 3; Volleyball 3, 4;
Drama 1, 2.*





MARK BROOKS
LAURA K. BUNNELL
Marching/Symphonic Band
2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4;
Pan-am Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Varsity Basketball
Statistician 3.

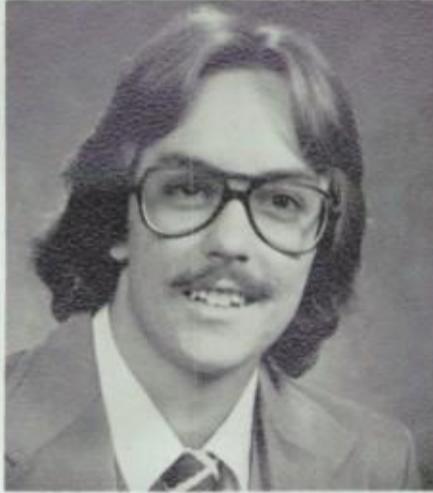
MARK A. BURGHOLZER
Football 3.



RONALD D. BURK
EVELYN M. BURSON
REYNALDO BUSSARI
Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Football 1; Weight Lifting 3, 4; Track 2.



*** DANNY BUTTRUM**
F.F.A. 1; D.E.C.A. 3.
MARGARET A. BUTTS
PAM L. BYRUM
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Matmaid 4;
ICC Representative 4.



MARIA C. CARDENAS
AIASA 3, President 4.
CHRIS J. CARRANZA
CURT L. CASSELS
Marching Band 2, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Graphics Club 3, 4; Drama "Bye Bye Birdie" 2; Reading Tutor 3, 4.



SUZANNE M.
CASTONGUAY
JANET CHAFY
Cheerleader 2, 4; Gymnastics 1, 3, 4; Senior Class Treasurer 4; Executive Council 2, 3.
EDWARD L. CHANDLER

Senior Executives shine on

THE SENIOR EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: (Bottom Row) John Haines, Jerry Hooper, (top) James Jepsen, David Miller, Mike Black, Rodney Whisenhunt, Dean Hudson. (Not Pictured) Lynne Branum, Shelly Hayes, Janie Jarman, Jeanne McCarville, Sharon Moffet, Martha Van Fossan.



ROSA CHAVEZ
TEENA J. CLARK Chorus
1, 2, 3, 4; Key Club 3; Pep
Club 1; Tennis Mgr. 2, 3.
DEBORAH COLEMAN

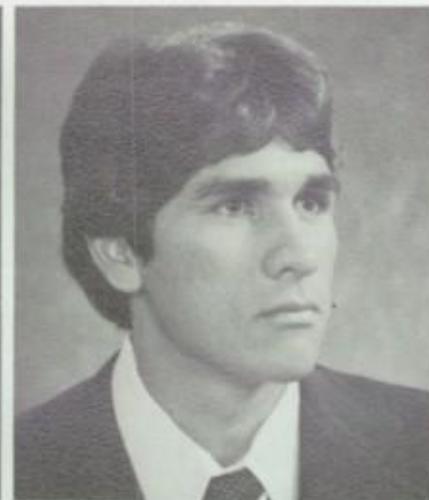
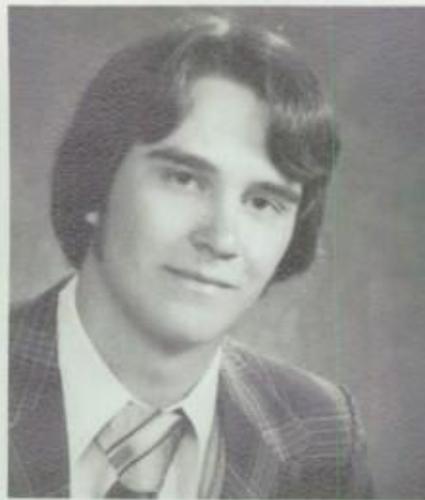


KYLE K. CONNER Girls'
Swim Team 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls'
Gymnastics 1, 2, 3, 4.
ELIZABETH CORNELIUS
Blue Notes 3, 4; N.H.S. 3, 4.
TERESA COSTALES
DECA treasurer 4; Mexican-
American Treasurer, Presi-
dent 2, 3.



JED COXON Baseball 1, 2,
3, 4; Key Club 2; Executive
Council 2, Cougar Growl 4.
JOCELYN COXON Gym-
nastics 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerlead-
ing treasurer 4; Blue Notes 4;
Play "Barefoot in the Park"
2; Speech secretary 1, 2.
BETH A. CRIGER

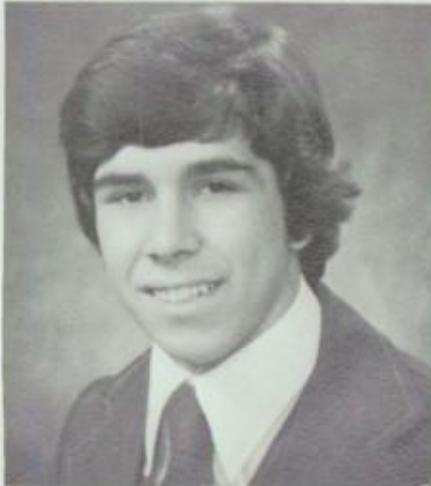




WILLIAM E. CRISP
RICHARD B. CROCKETT
RAMON C. CRUZ Baseball
1, 2, 3, 4. Blue Notes 4. Choral 4. Band 1, 2, 3.



BRUCE D. CUMMINGS
DEBBIE D. DAVENPORT
Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4.
Cheerleading 1. Concert Band 1. Swim Team 1.
JOHNNY DAVILA



THOMAS A. DEALL Blue Notes 3, 4. Varsity Baseball 4. Chorale 3, 4. Football 2.
DIMITRI DEARDORFF
N.H.S. 4. French Club 2, 3. Student Council 1.
HELEN MARIE DECKER Softball 1, 2, 3, 4. Volleyball 2, 3, 4. Basketball 3, 4. J.V. Archery Manager 1. JV Archery 2.



LA DONNA A. DEVINE
MARY J. DILL Choir 1, 2. Cinderettes 2.
BRENDA L. DIXON



DOYLE DIXON
SUSAN MARIE DODGE
Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Baseball 2, 3, 4. NHS 4.
PATSY ANN DOWNS
Girls' Chorus 1.

Senior Class officers kept busy

With Joe Lassuy as President, it proved to be a very successful year for the Senior Class officers. Although they didn't have to worry about the prom this year, they had plenty of activities to keep them busy.

As one of their key events, they had a canned food drive to help the needy and disabled. They collected over 200 cans of food and were well-praised.

To add to the canned food drive, they sold Cougar buttons, candy, shirts and the usual suckers. "They did a remarkable job," stated Mr. Mitchell.

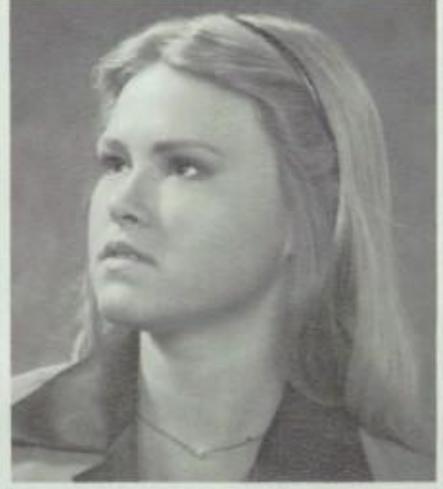
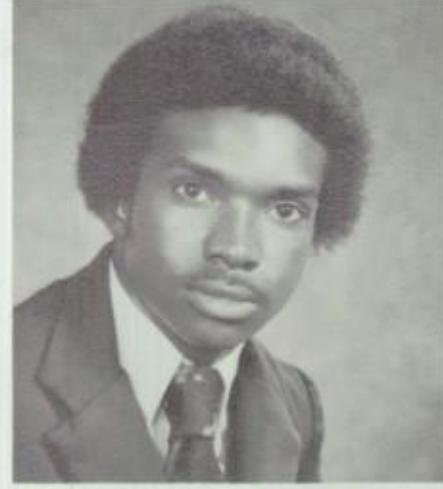
SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS: (Left to right) Joe Lassuy, President; Kathy Blair, Representative at Large; Denise Navarro, Vice-president; Debbie Coleman, Secretary; Darlene Morey, Girls' Representative; and Not Pictured: Daryl Thompson, Boys' Representative.



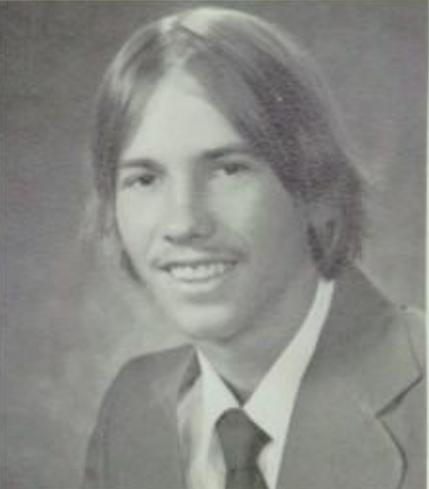
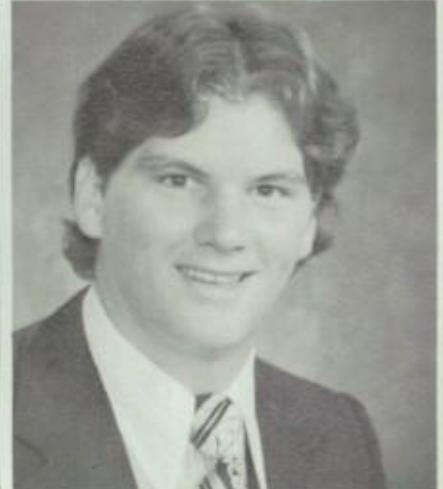
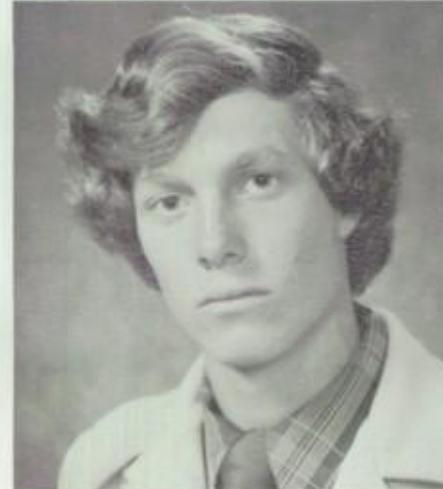
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VENTURA A. DURAN
RALPH J. EARLS

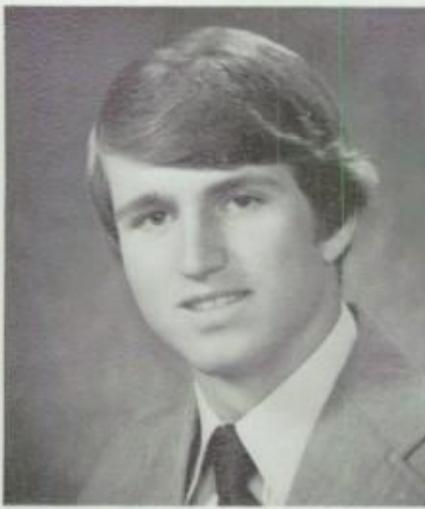
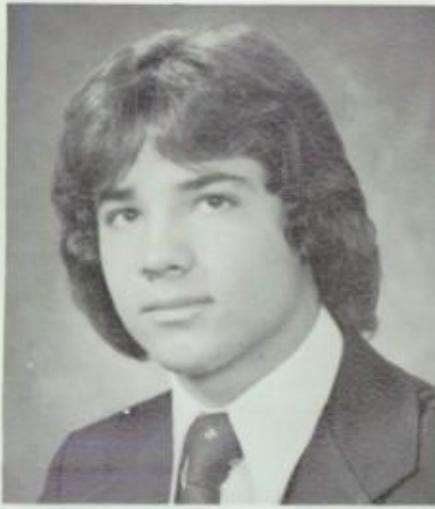


CLARENCE EDWARDS
JR. Afro-American 4; track
manager 2
STACIE LYNN ELLIS
JULIE G. ENG Choral 4;
Tennis team 1



MICHAEL ETHEREDGE
KRIS C. EVANGELO
Football 1, 2, 4; Track 1,
2, 3; Pantomime Show 2
CHARLES D. EVERES





JAMES C. EVERHART
DAVID C. EVERS Varsity
Baseball 2, 3, 4; Varsity
Football 2, 3; Varsity
Basketball 2, 3; National
Honor Society Vice-
President 4; Electronics
Club 2, 3, 4
SANDRA L. FAIRCHILD
Badminton 2; DECA
Historian, 4; Swim Maid 2



JOSE A. FIGUERROA
NANCY E. FIRESTINE
Pan Am 2, 4; Speech 2, 3,
4; Readers Theatre,
Assistant director 2, 3, 4;
TRAGYC 3, 4; Annual 3
WENDY LYNNE
FIRESTINE, N.H.S. 4;
Graphics Unlimited Vice-
President 3; Girls Chorus 3;
Swim Maid 3, 4



DAVID A.
FITZGIBBONS Football 1,
4; Student Body Vice-
President 4; Boys' State 3;
Student Council Boys'
Representative 2, 4; Key
Club 2, 4
EILEEN M. FORD
F.B.L.A. 3, 4; Pep Club 1,
2;
MELANIE E. FULLAM
Girls' Varsity Basketball 3



STEVE J. FORTIER
MARY C. FRANCOIS
DEBORAH J.
FULLERTON Swim Maid
1

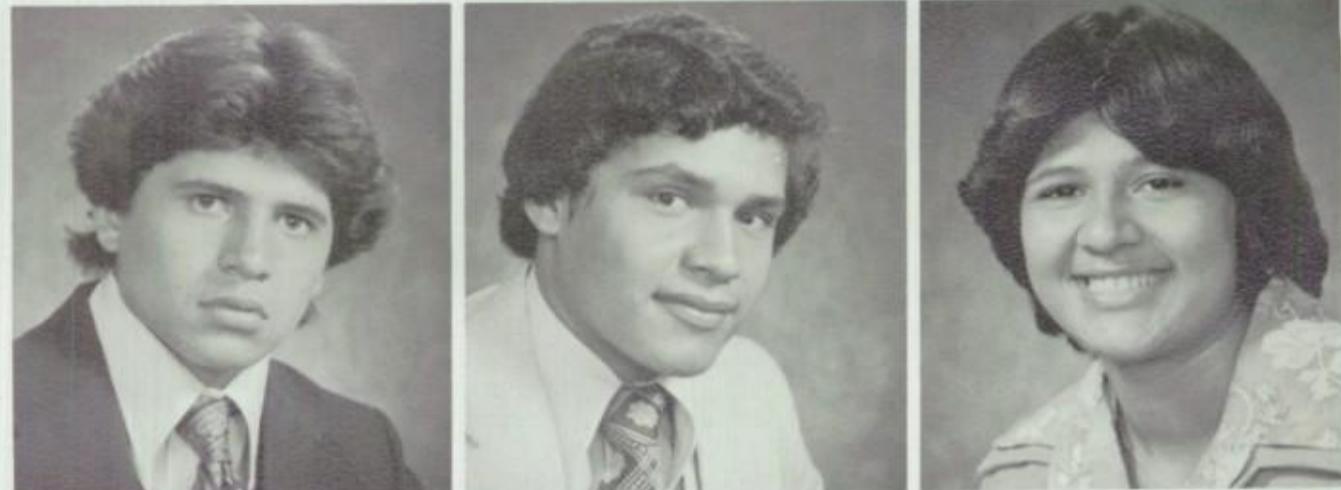


ALMA R. GALLEGOS
DONNA GALVEZ
Mexican-American 3, 4;
Cinderettes 3, 4; Deca 4;
Le Disco 4;
CHRISTINE ANN
GAMEZ Bat Girl 2; DECA
4

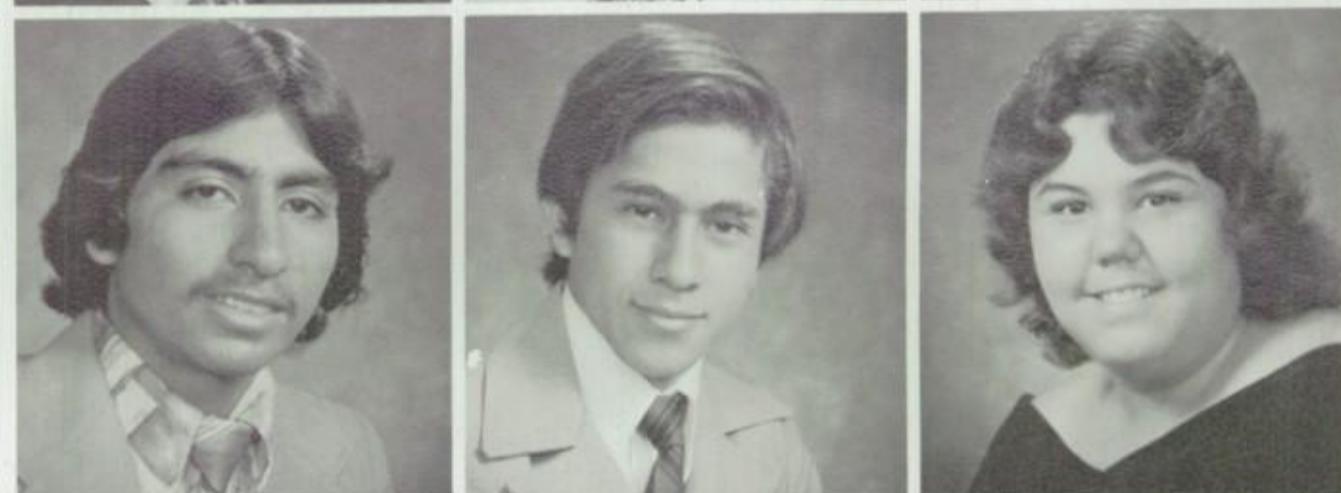
DUANE GAMEZ
Football 3,4. Wrestling 4.
FELICIA M. GAMEZ
BONNIFACIO GARCIA



CHRIS GARCIA
Football 1, 2, 3. Baseball 1,
2. Wrestling 1.
DALE E. GARCIA
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Track
1, 2, 3. Football 1, 2. AISA
3, 4.
DENISE GARCIA



JOHNNY GARCIA
LAURO M. GARCIA
AIASA 3,4. PanAm 1, 2, 3.
Band 1, 2.
LUPE C. GARCIA



MINNIE GARCIA
STEVE GARCIA
DECA 4.
YOLANDA GARCIA
Track 2,3., Cross Country
4. DECA 4, Letterman's
Club 3. AIASA 4.



JACK A. GEARHART
CAROL L. GEORGE
KATRINA GIBSON
Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Chorus 1,
2, 3, 4. National Honor So-
ciety 3, 4. Pan Am 1, 2, 3,
4. Hostess Club 3, 4.

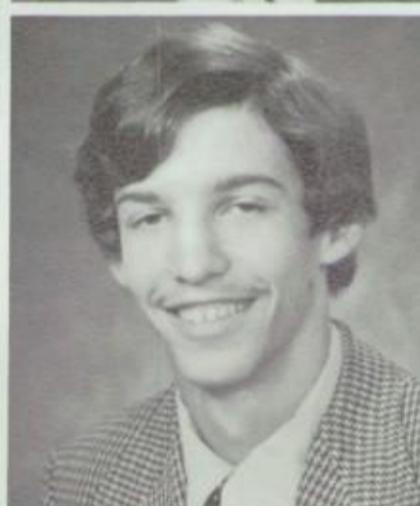




JIM GILDER
*Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track
1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1.*
LINDA A. GLASS
TRACEY L. GOODWIN
Hostess Club 2.



ADA M. GRANSBURY
CAROL GRATSY
*Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Hostess
Club 1, 2, 3; Swimming
Team 1; FBLA 4; Swim
Maid 3;*
MEL W. GRAY
AIASA 3, 4.



MARTHA H. GUTIERREZ
AIASA 4;
SAMUEL GUZMAN
*Football 1; Wrestling 1;
Power Lifters Club 3.*
JAY K. HAGSTROM



MITCHELL L. HALL
*Football 1; Track 1, 2, 3;
AIASA 3.*
JEFFREY R. HALL
*Football 3, 4; Basketball 1,
2, 3; Electronics Club 3, 4;
Marching Band 1, 2; Track
2.*
GINGER L. HARGETT



DIANA HARTFIELD
SHARON A. HARVIER
JAMIE HASH

SHELLEY L. HAYES

*Executive Council 1, 2, 3,
4; Election Commission 3,
4; Marching Band 1, 2, 3,
4; Girls' Track 2; FBLA
3, 4.*

JOHN A. HAYNES

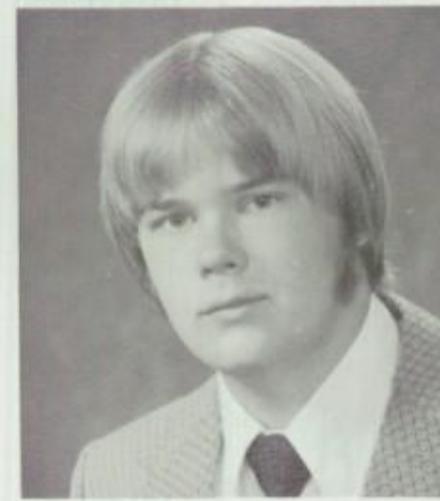
*Band 1, 2, 3, President 4;
N.H.S. 3, 4.*

GREGORY A. HEKKING**MICHAEL D. HENRY
CONNIE G.
HERNANDEZ**

*Mat-Maid 2, 3, 4; Gym-
nastics (manager) 2.*

MANUEL HERNANDEZ

*Cross Country 2, 3, 4;
Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Graphics
Unlimited 2, 3; Chorus 2.*

**SYLVIA HERNANDEZ
AIASA 4. DECA 4.****JENNIFER M.
HEUSCHELE
KENNETH A. HOAR**

*Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Key
Club 2, 3, 4. Track 1. Let-
termen's Club 2, 3.*

**PENNI T. HOCHRINE
JEANIE P. HODGES**

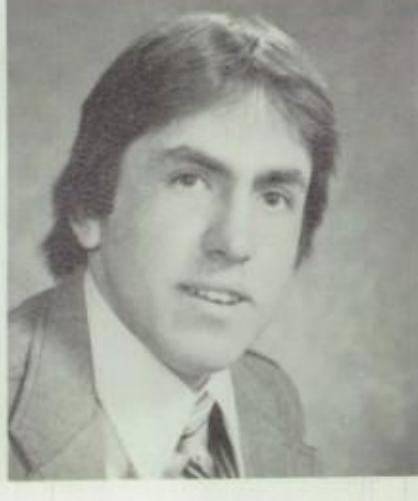
*Badminton 2, 3, 4. Archery 2. DECA 4. Mex. Am.
2, 3, 4. Cinderette 4.*

**TIMOTHY M.
HOFFMAN**

*N.H.S. 4. Golf 1, 2, 3,
Math Club 2, 3.*

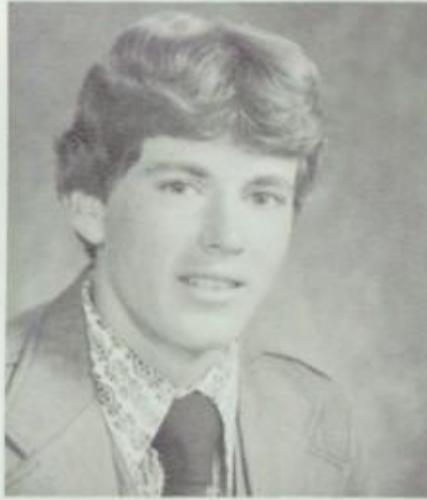
**TRINA D. HOLMES
LINDA S. HOOKER
JERRY D. HOPPER**

*Executive Council 3, 4.
Key Club 3, 4.*





**GREGORY B.
HORTON
TIMOTHY HUBBARD
TROY HUBBARD**



DEAN L. HUDSON
Baseball 3, 4; Football 1,
2, 3; Ex Council 3, 4;
N.H.S. 4; Key Club 2, 4,
Pres. 3.

BARBARA G. HUGHES
Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Hostess
Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Swimming
1; Pep Club 1; Swim Maid
3.

DONNA L. JACKSON
Cross Country 4; Track
3, 4; Pan Am 2.



**JANET M. JACKSON
KAREN J. JACKSON
JANIE A. JARMAN**
Ex. Council 4; Chorus 1,
2; Tennis 1, 3, 4; Key
Club 3; Pep Club 1.



LEE ANN JEFFERS
Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Bas-
ketball 4; Softball 4;
Track 3, 4.

BEATRICE M. JENSEN
N.H.S. 3, 4; Chorale 4;
Musical 2.

JAMES A. JEPSEN
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2;
Ex Council 4; Drama 2;
Golf 2.

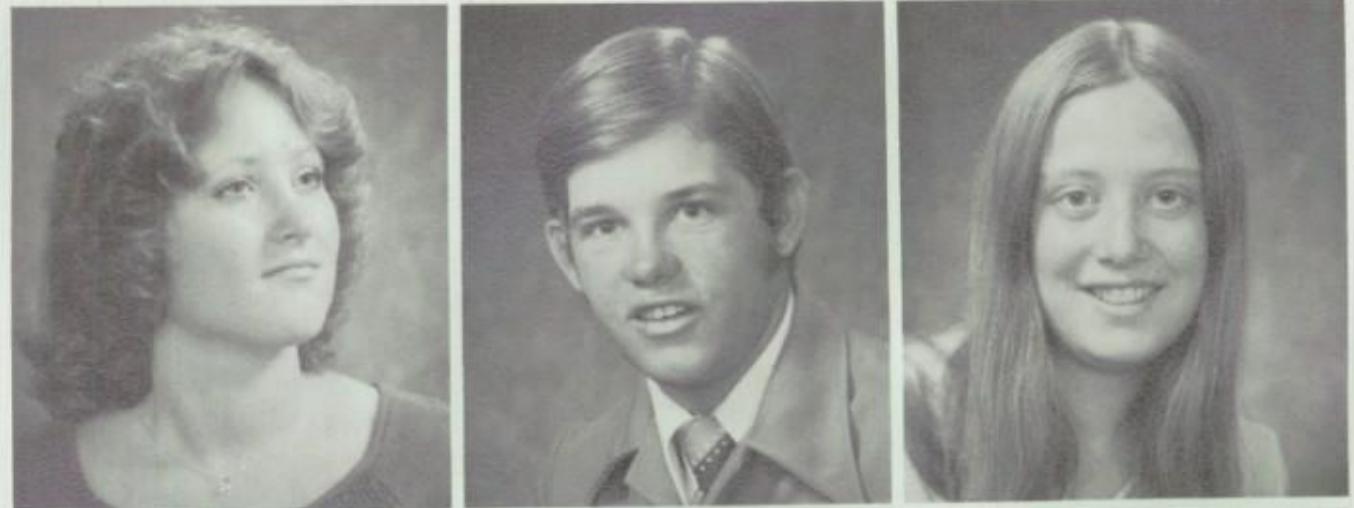


WILLIAM L. JOHNS
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Wres-
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2, 3, 4.

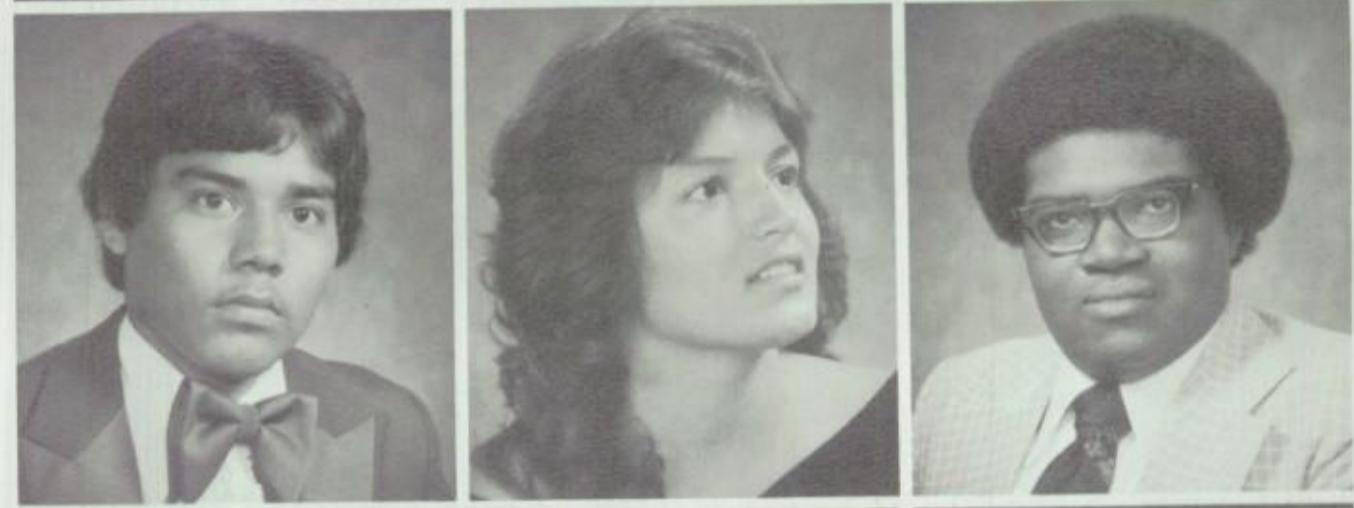
BECKY D. JOHNSON
Tennis 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3,
4.

PAMELA L. JOHNSON
NHS 3, 4; FBLA 2, 3, 4;
AFS 2, 3, 4; Swim Maid
2.

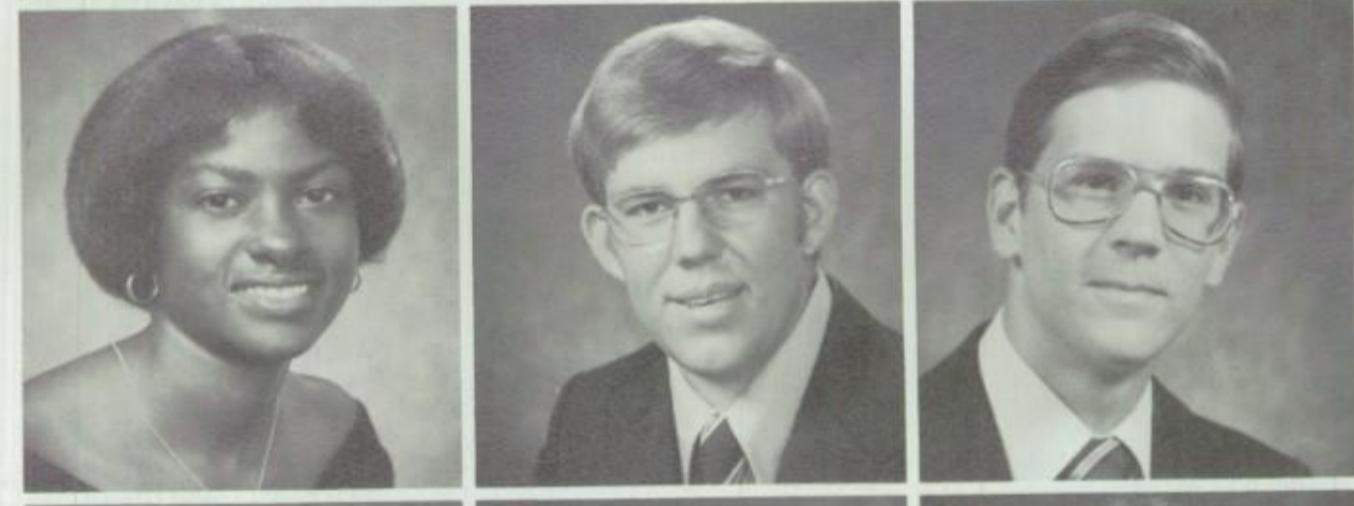
SHERRY F. JOHNSON
*Class Secretary 3; Pom Pon
3; Cougar Growl 2, 3. AFS 2.*
IRA L. JONES
TAMMY L. JONES



WALLY H. JONES
DELSEY KAKAR
ELLIOT L. KELLEY



LINDA M. KELLEY
STEVE L. KENDALL
ROGER M. KENYON *Elec.
tronics Club 4; Math Club 4.*



NANCY K. KERNS *Archery 2. AFS Vice Pres. 4; Softball 2; Annual Staff 3; Track 3.*
MICHAEL L. KING *Baseball 1, 2, 3; F.F.A. Reporter 2, 3, 4.*
KENT KORTSEN *Boys' Varsity Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2.*



ANTHONY B. KUNZ
DEBRA S. LAMB *Chorus 1, 2.*
MARY ANNA LAMBKIN
FFA 1, 2, 3. Annual 4. Twirler 3.



Senior PRO FILE William McKinley



William McKinley, a very science-minded person has been involved in many clubs and has received many awards.

"I became interested in science through the effort of an excellent teacher I had in 7th grade. Science was fascinating and I've been interested ever since. This is when I decided I would become involved in medicine in some way."

William hopes to attend Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Maryland. There he plans to major in Chemical Engineering. Besides the love of science,

William has also found tennis an interesting sport.

In 1977 William placed first in boys' singles in Casa Grande. 1978 seemed to go along just as well; he placed first in boys' doubles at the Casa Grande Open. He also became the number 1 player in the boys' varsity tennis team. He became involved in tennis in the seventh grade.

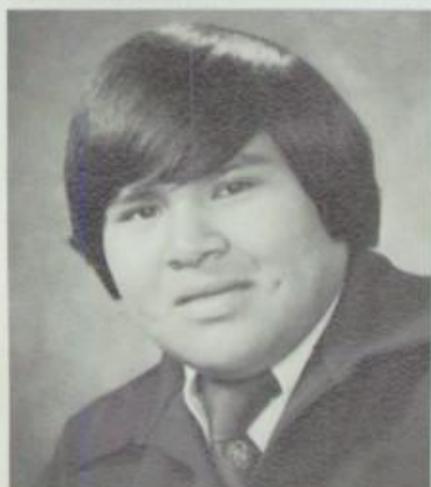
He is an active member of NHS, scored 94 on the PSAT, 30 on ACT test, and has received various Optimist Awards. In November William earned Elks Student of the month for his outstanding English achievements.



DORA LARA
ROBERT J. LASHWAY
AIASA 4.
JOSEPH A. LASSUY
Homecoming King 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, Class President 4; Swimming 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4.



TERESA Y. LEAL *Badminton 2, 3, 4; Archery 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3.*
LINDA LEDEZMA *Mat Maids 4; ICC Representative 4; FBLA 4.*
RANDY N. LESSOR *Football 1, 2, 3; Student council-Sergeant at Arms 1, 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1, 2.*



KEVIN T. LEWIS
TERRI M. LEWIS
ANNA B. LOPEZ

- Senior PRO FILE Mark Richmond



Rt 8:00 every morning the CGUHS Marching Band practices under the direction of senior, Mark Richmond. "If everyone in the band had as much dedication as Mark, it would be the number one band in Arizona," stated Rob Tackett. Besides practices every Monday and Thursday night to make the show a top 100%. Mark writes most of the band's march patterns. "This may sound easy, but when you have to account for seventy people on the field this becomes a hard job." When Mark was asked if he liked being a drum major he replied, "It is very rewarding at times. It gave me a chance to find out things about myself things I didn't know."

Although it caused me to lose a lot of things I didn't want to lose, I hope I'm a little more wiser from the experience." Mark has been in for four years and he got interested in being a drum major last year. He didn't have to try out for the position for he was the only one who wanted the job. When asked if he would continue music in college, he said, "I plan to be involved in music but I probably won't make a career of it." In closing the interview Mark added that, "I got a lot of support from everyone in band and I really appreciate it. I hope I haven't caused anyone any hard feelings. Being in band has made my senior year profitable."

**RONALD W.
LOVELACE**
MELANIE S. LUNDELL
Twirler 1, 2; Election Commission 2; Bat Girl 3;
KRISTY LUNT
Girls' State 3; Blue Notes 3, 4; Archery 2, 3, 4; FBLA Secretary 4.



**WILLIAM J.
MACHESNEY**
SUSAN MACIAS
Mexican American 3, 4; Cinderettes 2, 3;
SHERRI L. MAHLBERG
FBLA 4.

DELMER MAKIL
Basketball 1, 2.
ELMER MAKIL
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1.
MARK R. MANN

- Senior

PRO FILE

Rosie Toler

Not even a knee injury has kept Rosie Toler from playing softball. If anything it has helped her, says Rosie. "The problem I've had with my knee have helped me. When I play with a little pain it keeps me going. The pain reminds me that I may never walk unto another softball field again. Consequently, I don't give the game 100%, I give it 110%. Rosie underwent knee surgery this year, during the softball season.

"Chances are that my knee will be fine, but I have accepted the fact that I may never play sports again." If everything turns out all right with her knee, Rosie plans to go to a junior college on a softball scholarship. "I want to go to college and become a physical Education teacher. My dream has always been, to come back to Casa Grande and teach with Miss Slavin. "Miss Slavin has inspired me to play in sports. She has always encouraged and pushed me to be better; better in sports and to be a better person."

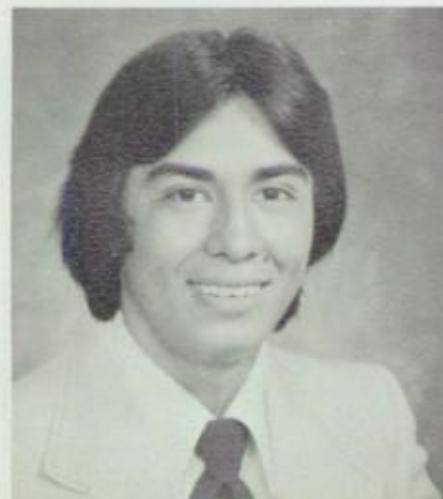
Her sophomore year she made varsity softball as a second baseman. She also went to the archery divisional, and was the manager of the volleyball team. In her junior year she started girls basketball in our school. Rosie was presented a special award for her efforts in establishing a girls basketball team. Putting sports aside, Rosie is an honor roll student. She achieved an academic letter in her Junior year. Golfing, gardening, backpacking, photography, and writing are some of her other interests. "I can spend hours writing letters and just writing." Does Rosie ever get upset over losing a game or when a referee makes a bad call? "Learning to accept bad calls is part of the game. When we play, we don't play against nine girls. We play against eleven people. Two of them are the referees!" "Of course I get upset when we lose a game. Maybe disappointed is a better word. Because if we lose its because we weren't applying ourselves 100%. When we do, we can beat anyone. Our team is based on attitude."



VICTORIA L. MARTIN
DECA 3, 4. AIASA 4.
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep
Club 2. Archery 2.



VIRGINIA MARIN



ERNEST MARTINEZ
WILLIAM S.
MARTINEZ
Basketball 1, 2. AIASA 3.
BECKY A. MATHENY

MARY J. MCCARVILLE
Executive Council 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Key Club 3; Varsity Girls' Basketball 3; Pep Club 1.

SANDRA L. McFERRIN
WILLIAM E. MCKINLEY
Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Speech 1, 2, Vice-President 2; French Club 1, 2, 4; NHS 3, 4.

RUTH A. MCMAHON
DECA 2, 3, 4; Hostess Club 1, 3; Mat Maids 4.

RALYN T. MCMANNUS
JOHN C. MCMORROW

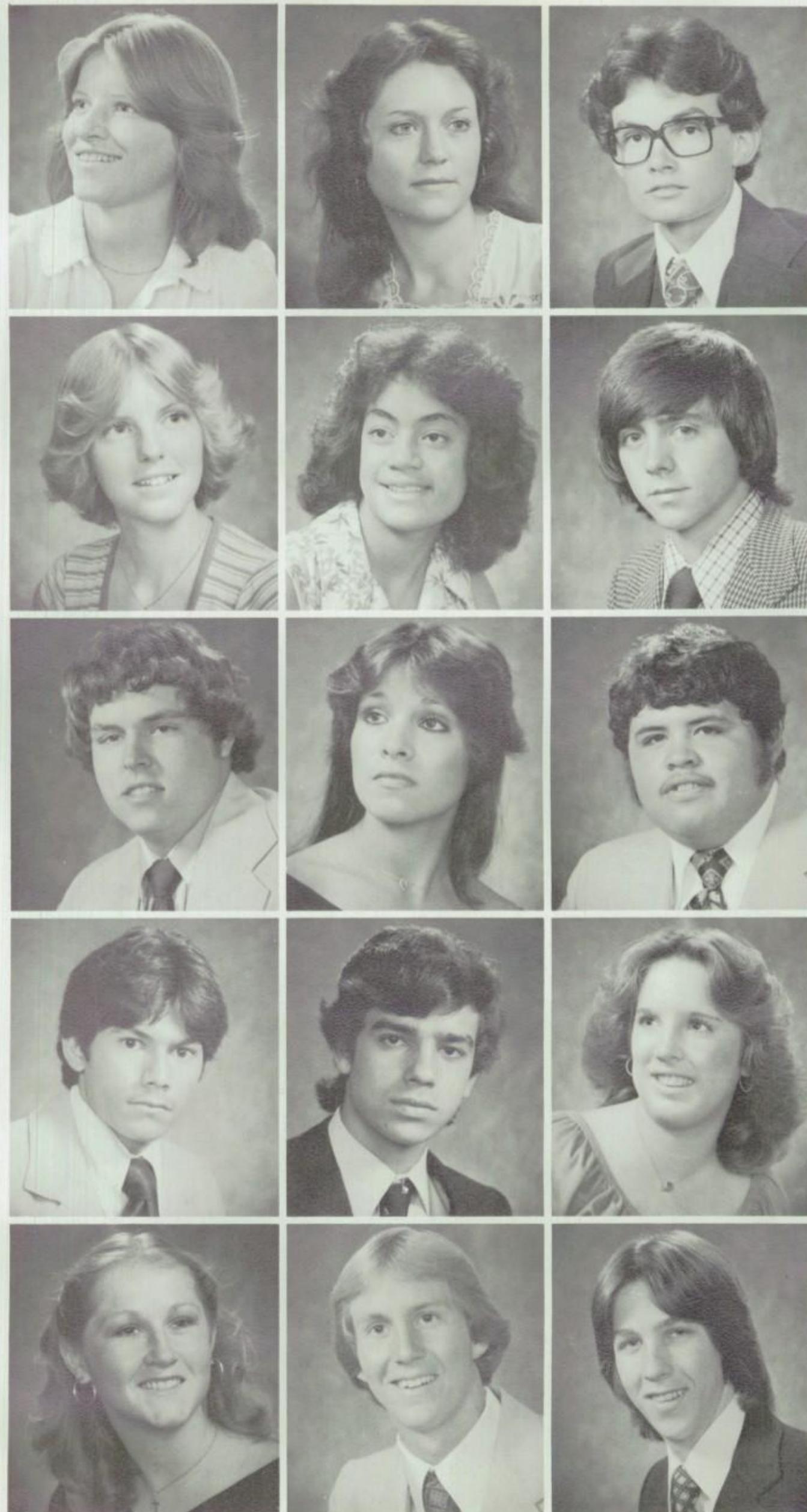
GEORGE R. MEANS Student Council Body President, Boys' Representative 2, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4; NHS 3, 4.

MARY A. MEDINA
DAVID A. MEJIA

ORLANDA L. MENA Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Swimming 1, 2.

ALEXANDER MENDIZABAL
MARY A. MIDDLEBROOK

CAROLYN F. MILES
DECA 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4.
DAVID E. MILLER
RICK E. MILLER





SARA E. MODLIN Pom Pon 2, 3, Captain 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Election Commission 2, 3; Executive Council 3.

SHARON MOFFETT Band 1, 2; Executive Council 4; Principal's Advisory Committee 4.

MARY ELLEN MONTEZ Election Commission Chairman 4; Girls' Track 3; Mexican American Club 1.

EILEEN R. MOODY
ETHEL S. MOORE Softball Manager 3, 4; Afro-American 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2.
RENE E. MOORE

PEDRO V. MORALES
MICHAEL V. MORENO
DARLENE R. MOREY Student Council 4; Cougar Growl 3; ALASA Sweetheart 3.

TERI A. MUMME Student Body Secretary 4; Chorale 4; N.H.S. 3, 4; Pan Am Vice President 3; Forensics 3, 4.

BRENDA K. MURRAY
MELVA E. NAVA DECA Treasurer 3, 4; Mexican-American Treasurer 2, 3, 4.

DENISE NAVARRO Senior Class Vice-President 4; Election Commission 3, 4; Swimming 3, 4; Gymnastics 1; Track 2, 4.

KARLA F. NELSON Thespian Club, Secretary; 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 1.
REYNALDO NEVAREZ

Senior

PRO file

Alex Mendizabal

Falex Mendizabal, AFS Foreign Exchange student, is from San Sebastian, in the Basque country of Spain. He is residing with Craig and JoAnne Hardy of Casa Grande.

Alex dislikes the heat in summer, but he states, "It's neat to have the experience of living in a desert area."

Finding a few differences in the life of the people, Alex explains, "the concept of boys dating girls doesn't exist, and

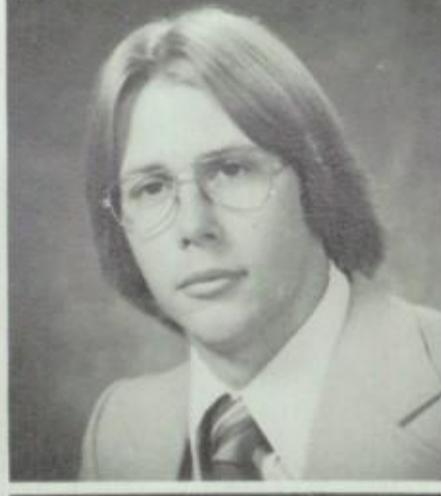
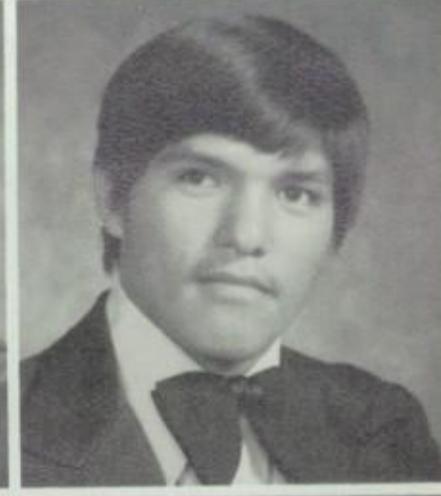
we don't comb our hair every ten minutes." He also finds that the high school in Spain is much harder.

Alex has been active in AFS Club, and played "Dracula" in the school play in October. In Spain he played soccer, table tennis and was involved in a poetry group. He also played several instruments.

Upon returning to San Sebastian, Alex plans to study composition and music.



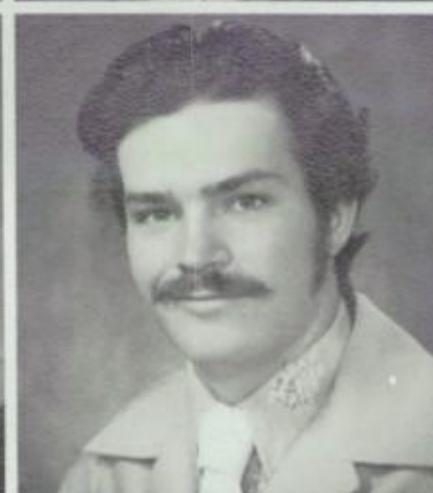
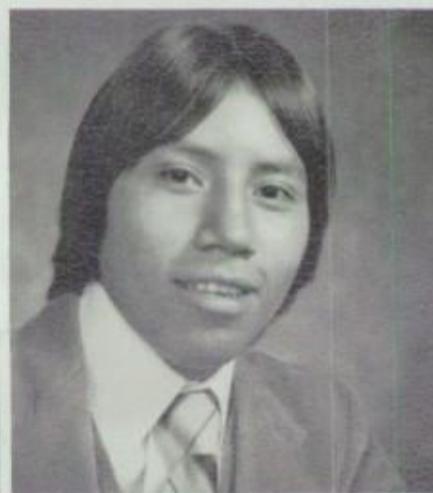
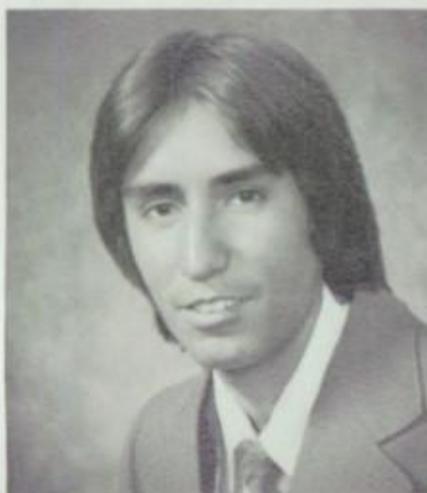
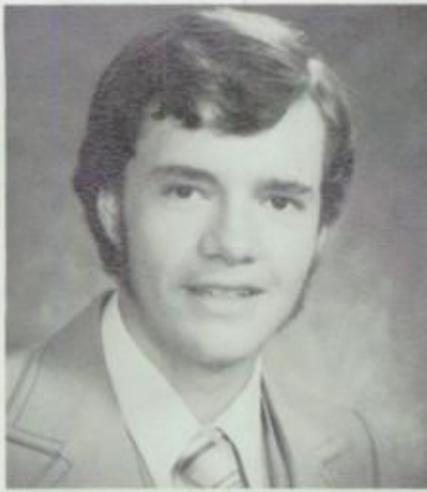
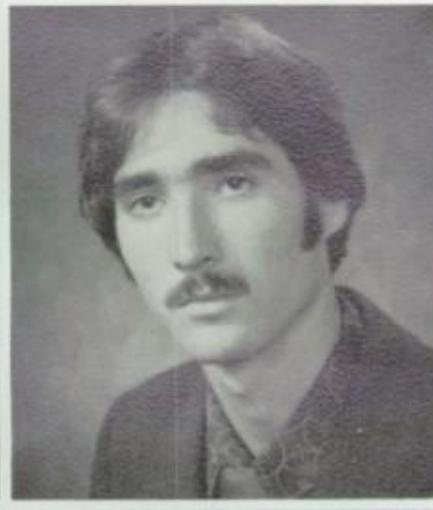
MARGARET J. NICHOLS
RUTH M. O'BRIEN *Blue Notes* 4; *Chorale* 4; Tennis Team 1, 4; N.H.S. 3, 4; Representative-at-large 1.
GLORIA P. OCHOA



MARTIN J. PETERSON

ROBERT PETERSON

CHARLENE G. PETTIGREW *Choir* 1, 2, 3, 4.



SHERRI L. PHILLIPS Softball 3, 4; Badminton 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Girls' Track 2; FBLA 3.

SHARRON K. PINESET
WESLEY D. POORMAN
Cougar Growl 4; Thespian President 4; ICC Representative 4; Stage production 2, 3, 4.

WILLIAM L. POWELL
Marching Band 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 3, 4.

CARMEN A. QUINTANAR
ANITA RAMIREZ DECA 4.

RONNIE RAMIREZ
MARK D. RAMON
MITCH D. RAMON

WILLIAM C. RAMOS Football 1, 2; Wrestling 1.

YOLANDA I. RAMOS
KEVIN D. RATLIFF Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2.

RAY MICHAEL
RICKI RENEE REID
DEBRA E. RENNER Matmaids 2, 3, 4; Pan-Am 1, 2, 3; FHA 1.

Senior

PRO FILE

Melissa Wisner

FFA provides leadership not only used in agriculture but in all walks of life. FFA is not just plows and cows but many, many opportunities are open to you. Public speaking, meets judging, and salesmanship are just a few," said Melissa Wisner.

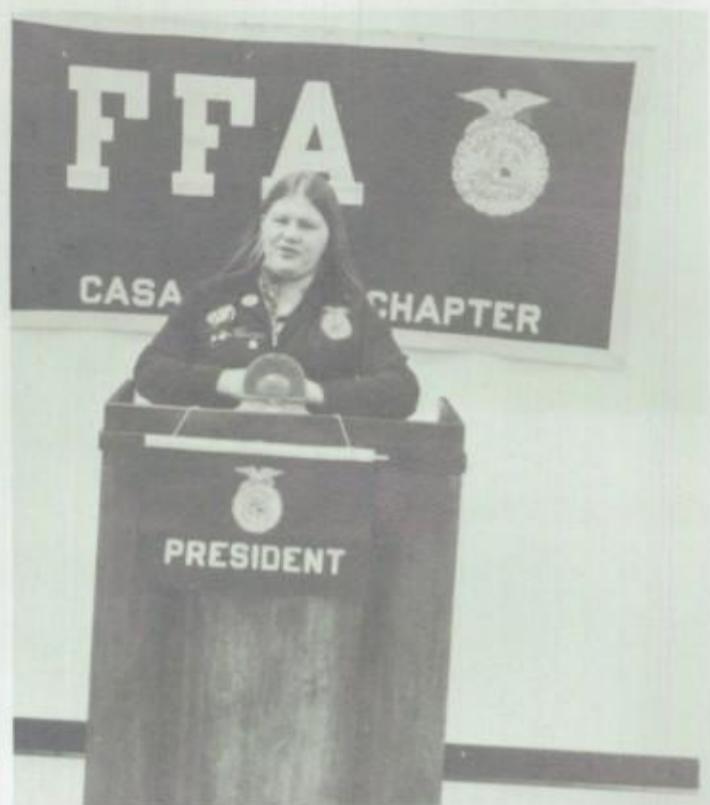
Melissa has been active in Future Farmers of America (FFA) all of her school career.

"I had always wanted to be a veterinarian. I saw that the agriculture department offered an animal science class."

She also was a member of the National Honor Society her junior and senior years.

Melissa was very active in the marching and symphonic band during her freshman, sophomore and senior years.

"FFA provides a sense of logic. Careful planning is learned through working in agriculture related fields! Besides, on out of ever three people are involved in agriculture related fields. So a touch of agriculture will help almost anyone." Melissa commented. Melissa's future plans are to be a veterinarian.

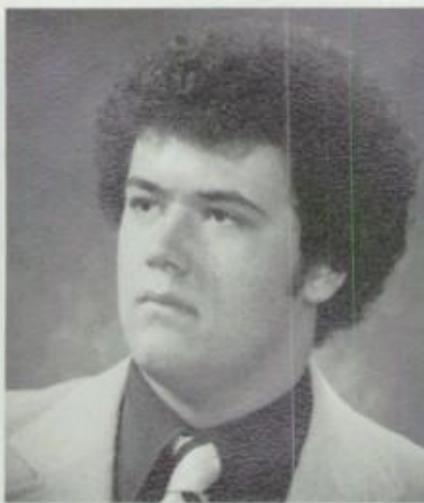


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MARJORIE A. RHODES
DAVEY G. RICHARDS

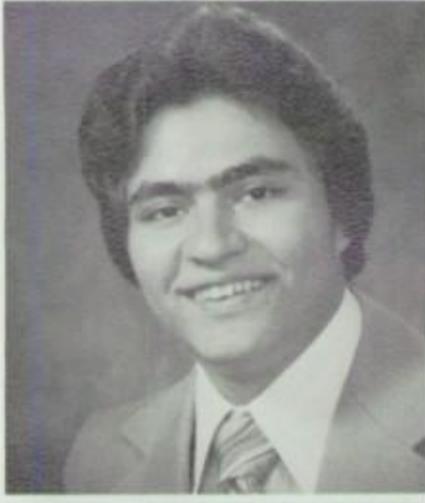
MARK E. RICHMOND
*Band 1, 2, 4; President 3;
Drum Major 4; Drama 1, 2,
3; TV Studio 4; NHS 3, 4.*
JAMES R. ROBINETT
JERRY K. ROBINETTE

JOE M. RODRIGUEZ
EDWARD RONQUILLO
MARY A. RONQUILLO





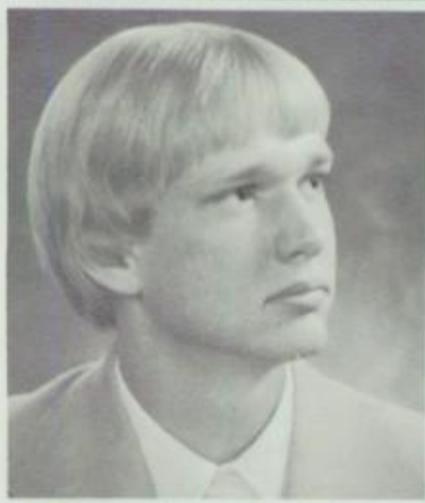
KAREN L. RUNYAN
TIM B. RUSS
WILLIAM B. RUSSELL
*Marching Band 2, 3, 4;
Concert Band 1; Symph.
Band 2, 3, 4.*



LUIS SALINAS
CHARLES L. SAN-
CHEZ
DANNY R. SANCHEZ
DECA 2, 3, 4.



LORI J. SCHOENIKE
*Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep
Club 2; Pan-AM 2.*
DEBBIE R. SCOTT
**KAREN S. SGREG-
NOLI**



PETER SHAFFER *Blue
Notes 4; Chorale 4; Quartet
3, 4.*
TAMMI L. SHAFFER
*F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1,
2; Cinderette 2; Track 3,
4.*
DONNA SHERWOOD
*Cinderette 1, 2, 3, 4;
FBLA 3, 4; Choir 1, 2.*



CHARLENE D. SMITH
*Pom Pon 2, 3; Student
Council 1, 3; Cheerleader
1; Choir 1, 2.*
KAREN Y. SMITH
SUSAN K. SONNEMAN
*Pep Club 2; Swim Maids
2, 3, 4.*

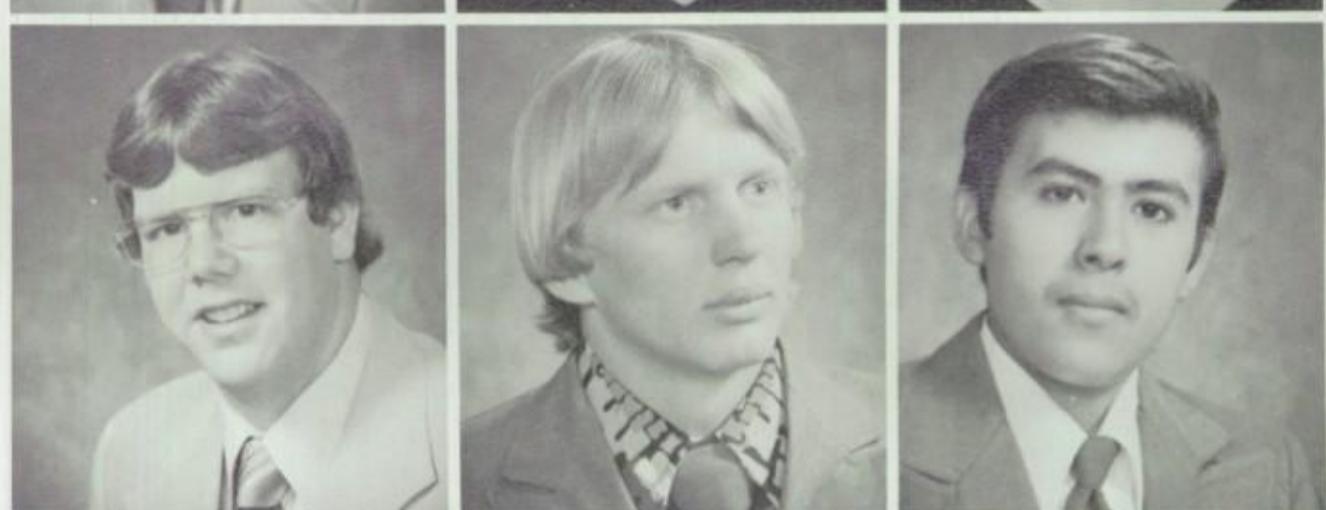
RHONDA L. STANFORD
Chorus 4; Speech 3.
**LAURA D.
STANSBERRY**
Chorus 2, 3.
**LORRAINE
STANSBERRY**



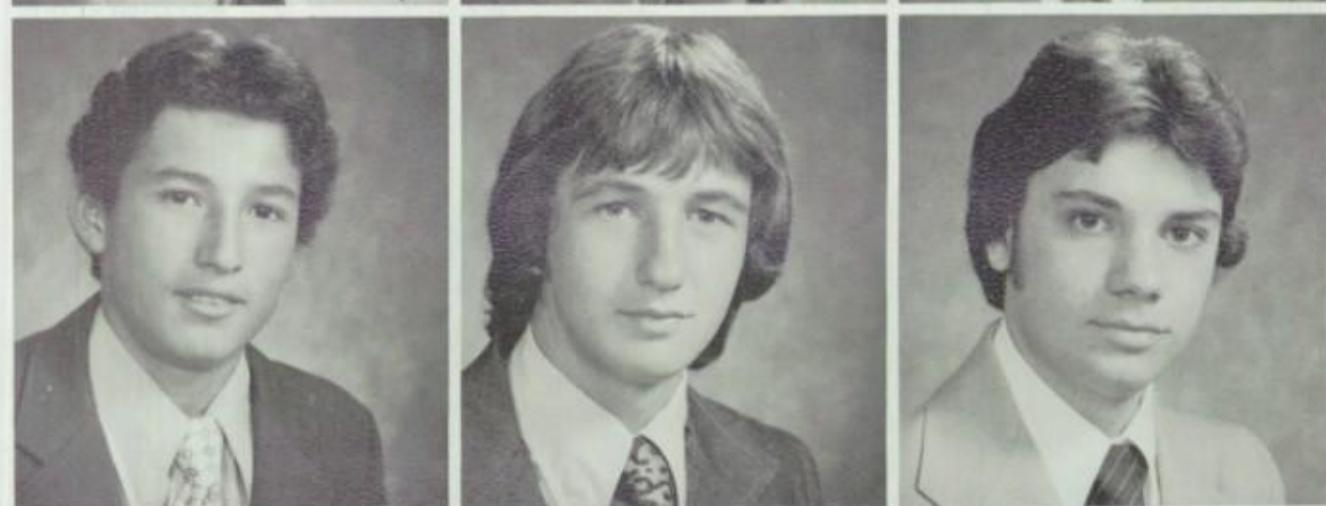
DAVID W. STRAYER
MELINDA STREET
Girls' Chorus 1; Concert Band 1.
LINDA C. SUAREZ



KEVIN S. SULLIVAN
*Tennis 1, 2, 3; Baseball 4;
Boys' State 3; Blue Notes 4;
N.H.S. 3, 4.*
JOEL N. TANNER
*Football 1; Baseball 2, 3;
Wrestling 1, 2;*
CARLOS H. TAPIA
DECA 3, 4;



MANUEL A. TAPIA
Baseball 2.
WILLIAM A. TEIGEN
JOHN TESTA
*Blue Notes 4; Stage Band 4;
Symphonic Band 2;
French Club 3.*



DARYL W. THOMPSON
*Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4;
Track 2; Wrestling 1.*
ROBYN L. THOMPSON
N.H.S. 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Graphics Club 4; AFS 2.
ROSIE TOLER
*Softball 2, 3, 4; Volleyball Manager 3, 4; Archery 2;
Basketball 3; Annual 3.*



Joe and Demetrias crowned

'Advertise the Cougars' was this year's theme for Homecoming and it proved to be "different."

With Mary Ann O'Donnell and Joe Lassuy in charge, Homecoming was a day (and night) to remember. Capturing the honors of king and queen were Joe Lassuy and Demetrias Dixon (in that order). Although Joe was chosen king, he still has one regret. "I wish I could have been playing on the field during the

game, but I am honored that I was chosen king."

As for the preparations of Homecoming, that was left up to Mary Ann and Joe. "Joe was in the hospital most of the time so I really had a lot of work to do. It kept me very busy and I found myself always tired," said Mary Ann. But after being asked if she would do it again, she replied, "I'd definitely do it again. It was fun."

Although most people would agree that everything turned out o.k., there were a few exceptions, which were none other than David Fitzgibbons and Grant Walton. "It was great but we got taken advantage of because the best float didn't win." The "Support Your Local Cougar" float, was the float in question.

(Left) Demetrias Dixon lets out a cry of joy as she hears her name announced as queen. (Below Left) Joe Lassuy and Demetrias Dixon walk to the waiting car which took them around the field. (Below) Johnny Ornelas, last year's king crowns Demetrias.



Senior PRO FILE Diane Cornelius

Diane Cornelius was selected to perform with the Continental Singers, who "share God's love through song," to people around the world. The Continental Singers will travel to Europe and tour England, Iceland, Scotland, and Holland.

Involved in a great number of school activities, Diane participated in chorale, Blue Notes and in all district and state choir. She also competed on the swim team and had the lead role in the musical "All American."

Diane is very excited about her trip. "I know I will really enjoy myself because I have always enjoyed traveling and investigating

new places," she explained. "Along with being excited, I'm also very nervous." Diane will probably be the youngest member of the Continental Singers.

Miss Shipp and Mr. Day encouraged her to sing for the public. "Miss Shipp gave me my first solo in my freshman year. This helped a great deal in building my confidence. Mr. Day also played a big part as the director of my church choir and other various choirs." Diana's parents also have been behind her 100%.

Attending college and majoring in performing vocal music are Diana's future plans.

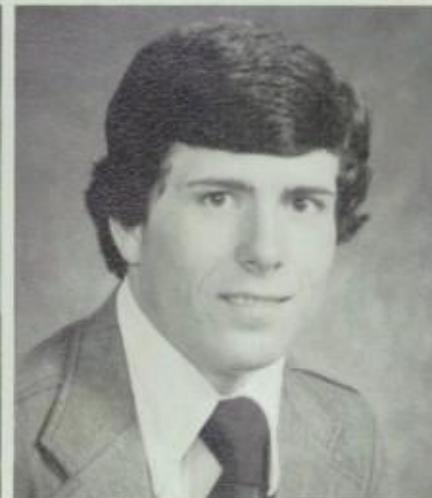


Diane is shown practising singing for one of many concerts she gave to raise money for her tour of Europe.

CAROLINE TORRES
Cinderette 4; DECA reporter, 4; Varsity Singers 3; Chorallers 2; Girls' Choir 1.
PAULINA C. TORRES
PERRY K. TRANTHAM



TONY TRISTE
GILBERT L. TROTTER
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2; Honor roll 2, 3; Key Club 3.
RUTH D. TURNER



Senior PRO FILE

Nancy Kerns

Nancy has been named a commended student in the 24th annual National Merit Scholarship Program.

This honor recognizes each student's outstanding performance on the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test, which was

administered nation-wide to high school Juniors in October 1977. Nancy has participated as a member of the Pan Am club her Junior and Senior years. She was also in AFS, Graphics and FBLA. She competed in archery her sophomore year.

To increase their opportunities for college admission and financial aid,

NMSC has offered each commended student an opportunity to have identifying information sent by the corporation of true higher education institutions selected by the corporation to two higher education institutions selected by the student. In addition, NMSC makes it possible for regionally accredited U.S. colleges and universities to receive home addresses for commended students, on a cost basis so that an institution may contact any of these promising young men and women.

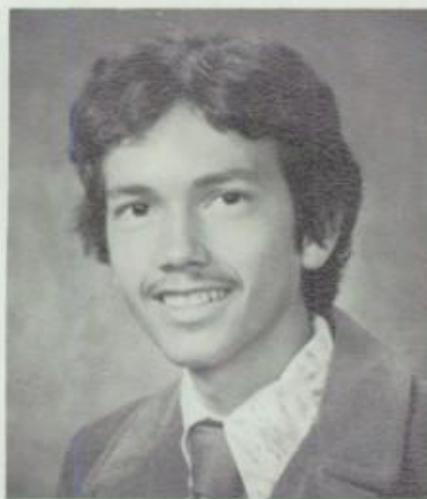
A total of almost 35,000 commended students throughout the United States are being honored by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation.

Nancy's plans to enroll in college and possibly major in Business Administration.

"My high school years have been great. There have been many teachers whom have helped me. I owe them my 4.0 grade average," commented Nancy.



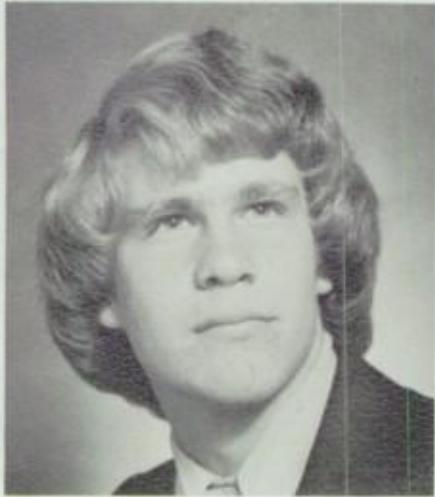
Nancy Kerns is presented an award for commended student from Principal Charles David Evers. She was named a commended student by the 24th annual National Merit Scholarship Program.



EDUARDO C. VALDEZ
Math club, Sec. Treasurer 4; FBLA 3, 4.

JOANNA L. VALDEZ
Yearbook Editor 4; Disco Club Treasurer 4; Newspaper staff 3; Yearbook staff 1, 2, 3, 4. ICC Representative 4.

ROSE A. VALENZUELA



MARTHA L. VAN FOSSEN
Cheerleader 4; Executive Council 4.

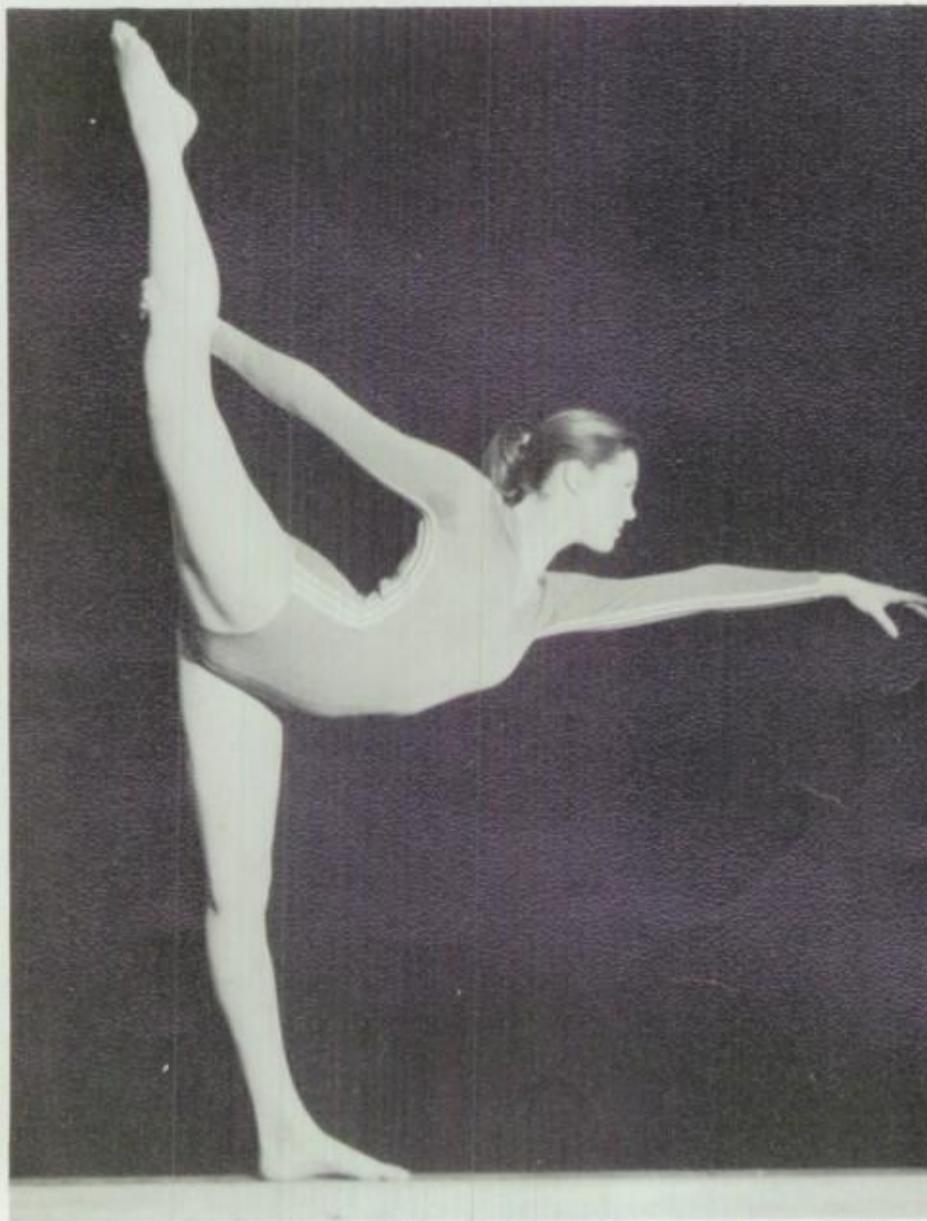
GERALD R. VERHEY
Golf 1, 2, 3.

IRENE R. VILLARREAL
Track 2, 3, 4; Mexican American Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Cinderette 4.

Senior

PRO FILE

Jocelyn Coxon



How many times have you dreamed of being a famous gymnast? How many times have you dreamed of being a famous dancer? Well, Jocelyn Coxon isn't famous yet, but she is well on her way.

With four years of experience to her credit, Jocelyn has made herself one of the top gymnasts on the varsity team. She has been on the team for all four of those years and credits her gymnastic talent to her dance background. "Having a strong dance background when I entered high school gymnastics was a way to incorporate my dance with tumbling which is the most physically challenging women's sport," she said.

As for Jocelyn's favorite event she states, "Floor exercise started out being my favorite event probably because it was and is the easiest for me. But the last two years, I've been working the balance beam and it is probably my favorite now; it's a challenge to narrow yourself down to four inches."

Along with gymnastics, Jocelyn is involved in cheerleading, Blue Notes, Chorale, 4-H and she played the lead in "Barefoot in the Park."

Jocelyn isn't a famous gymnast or famous dancer yet, but, by devoting a good percentage of her time and effort to making her dreams come true, she is well on her way.

(Above left) Jocelyn displays the perfect balance, muscle control and coordination necessary to perform and receive high scores on the balance beam.

KATHERINE VOLLMER
FBLA Secretary 2, 3; Vice President 4; Swimmers Vice President 2, 3.

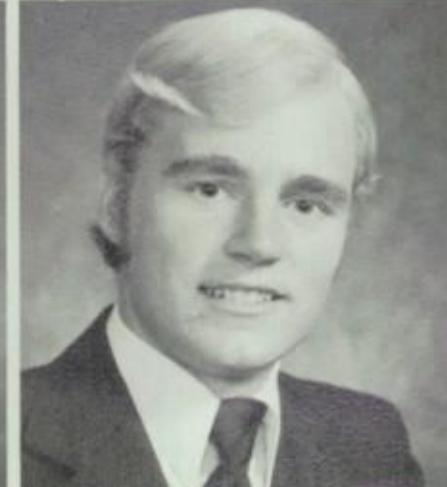
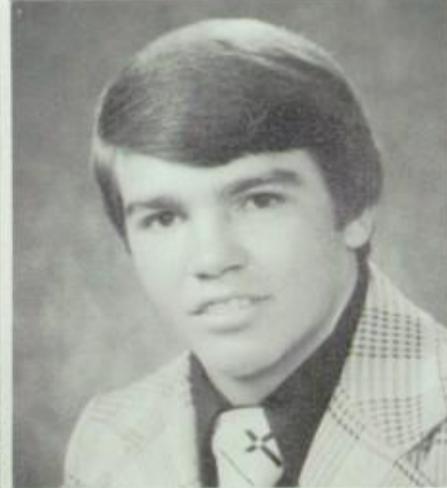
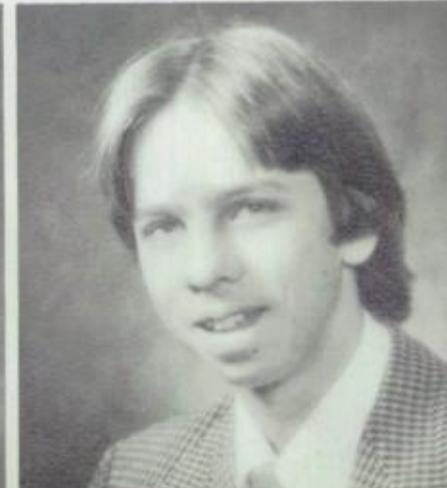
JUDSON WALTERS
FFA 1; AIASA 2, 4.

GRANT WALTON Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; NHS President 4; Student Council Sergeant at arms 4; Key Club Sergeant at arms 2, 3, 4.

JOYCE A. WEBSTER Elvis Club Secretary 3; Chorus 2, 3.

RODNEY L. WHISEN-HUNT Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Pan Am Representative 1, 2, 3; Vice President 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4; Executive Council 4.

DENISE M. WHITE



Boy, Girl Staters

return after summer conventions

Gnce again a handful of seniors received the opportunity to compete in the 32nd annual Boys' and Girls' state. A few lucky seniors were interviewed in their junior year by the local American Legion Post and Auxiliary. From these, four boys and two girls were chosen to attend conventions at Northern Arizona University in Flagstaff and University of Arizona in Tucson.

Boys' State

While the delegates were at Boy's and Girls' state, they were elected as officials for various countries. David Fitzgibbons was elected County Treasurer for Carlton City. He was a member of the Federalist party and along with the other delegates, got to meet important officials such as Governor Bruce Babbitt and Senator Dennis DeConcinni. The convention must have been a worthwhile experience because David said, "I learned the most in one week there than I do in some classes for a whole semester." Of course, it wasn't all just work, for he also said, "It was fun."

Joe Lassuy was a member of the Nationalist party and was elected a House Representative for Poston County which is in the City of Miles. Unfortunately Joe had a few problems. "My jacket was stolen but I learned a lot about government and I met a lot of new friends."

Others attending the Boys' state convention were Russ Means and Kevin Sullivan.

Girls' State

Kristy Lunt, one of two delegated to Girls' State was elected Judge of the Superior Court of Supai County, Mesquite City. She was a member of the Nationalist party and was awarded outstanding court official. Kristy had something to say about Girls' State. "It was a fantastic experience. I met many people who will be my friends for life."

Becky Calahan who also attended the convention was a member of the Federalist party and was elected Representative to Cocopa County in Manzanita City. Becky has moved to Wyoming and so she is unavailable for comment. But, we also know she was second runner up to Girls' nation, which is a very high honor.

The week passed all too quickly and too soon it was time to return to Casa Grande with fond memories of the campaigning, caucusing, crying, praying and other experiences that made Girls' and Boys' State such a success. Girls' and Boys' State was an experience six C.G.U.H.S. students will long remember.



(Above) Top Row: Kevin Sullivan, Russ Means, David Fitzgibbons, and Dean Hudson, alternate. Bottom Row: Kristy Lunt and Patty Brewer, alternate. Not Pictured: Joe Lassuy and Rebecca Calahan.

Senior PROFILE

Grant Walton

How could you describe someone who has been quarterback of the football team for four years and has managed to maintain a 4.0 grade average throughout high school? Athletic? For sure! Scholastic? Definitely!

Who are we talking about? Grant D. Walton.

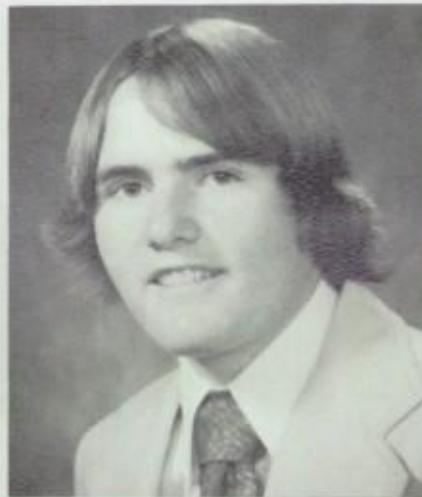
Grant is president of the National Honor Society, a member of the Key Club, Lettermen's Club, and was chosen Elk's student of the month for September. He was awarded a scholastic scholarship from the University of Arizona and is planning to major in veterinary medicine.

Although Grant has been active in wrestling and baseball, along with football, he's not sure if he is going to participate in sports once he gets to college. It's not that he has lost his interest in sports, it's just that he wants to dedicate his time to schoolwork. There's no doubt that Grant will miss it. "I've enjoyed it very much and I'm sure gonna miss it," stated Grant.

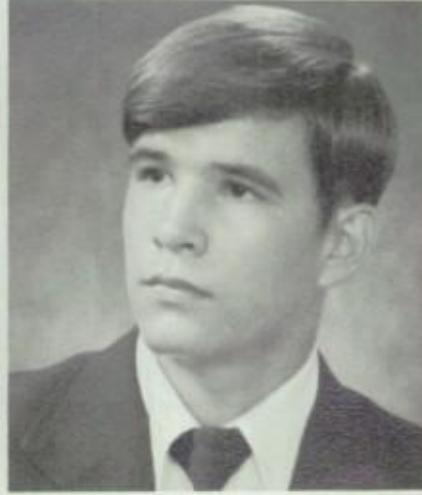


(Right) Grant Walton scores a touchdown during a home game.

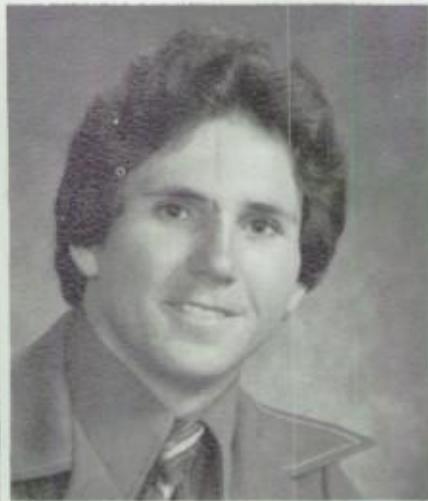
DIANE M. WIETHOLTER
DANIEL C. WILLIAMS
JILL D. WINANS Band 1,2.



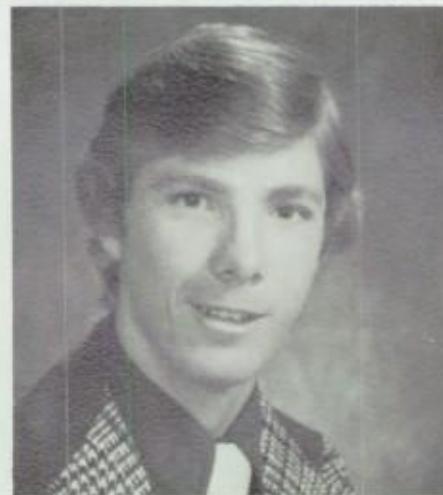
MELISSA L. WISNER
Band 1; FFA 1,3,4; Marching
Band 2,3,4.



CLAUDE G. WOOD
SUE M. WOODLEY Cheer.
leader 1,2,3; Student Council
1,2,3; Choir 1,2; Gymnastics
Team 1.



NICKI WYBLE
STEVEN WYBLE
ALICE F. ZAPATA *FBLA*
4.



PAMELA S. ZESIGER *Student Council Treasurer 4; Blue Notes 3,4; NHS Secretary 3,4.*
JEFFERY D. ZIMMERMAN

Seniors Not Pictured

Randy Allen

Danette Kauffman

Wilfred Antone

Howard Long

Donna Bernier

Daniel Lyons

Robert Boedeker

Michael Morago

Gabriel Cons

Gary Parks

Donald Coops

Alfred Reams

Jesse DeLaCruz

Dan Simpson

Demetrias Dixon

Jerry Snow

Robert Garcia

Robert Tackett

Donnie Haygood

Ronald Tapia

Daryl Honess

Robert Vrabel

Kathleen Johnson

Queer!!

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tudents experience many changes during their Junior year. Research papers, American History, and finally going to the JrSr Prom make a student's 3rd year of school unique from all others.

Of course, there are many other advantages to being a JUNIOR. Most enjoy driving their own cars (for a change) but, are expected to pay for their own gas (which is sometimes difficult). Also, Juniors are relieved because they just finished their final year of required English classes (no more research papers for a while, anyway).

The most exciting part of a Junior's school life is at the end of his third year, when he realizes he will reign over CGUHS in the fall of '79', maturing into a senior.

(Upper Right) Michelle Hatfield inspects her pickup. (Right) Karen Davis and Kathy Burk eat during the Fall Banquet. (Below) Lisa Apodaca catches up on her sleep on the way to class.



CLASS OF 80-80-80-80



JUNIORS



Terry Acuna
Bobby AGuirre
Rilla Ailes
Laurie Akers
Lorenzo Alejandro



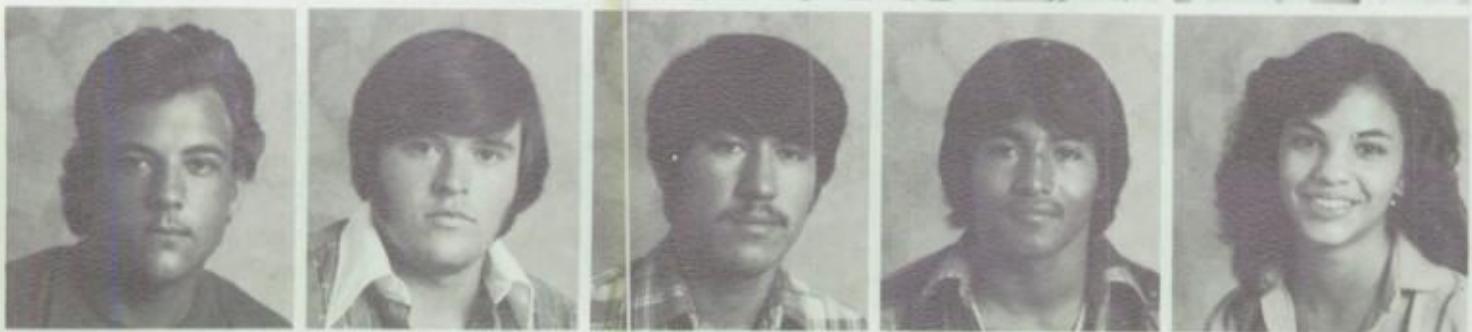
Nikki Alexander
Brigitte Allen
Blanca Alvarez
Julie Anderson
Tina Anderson



Claudette Antone
Ignacio Antone
Christine Apodaca
Litsa Apodaca
Rochelle Armenta



Gordon Atkinson
Johnny Avalos
Virginia Barkley
Steve Barnes
Lisa Bazan



Jaimie Beale
Donald Beauchamp
Mike Benavidez
Diego Bernal
Felicia Bernal



Bruce Berryman
Marty Bidegain
Brett Black
Diane Blewer
Suzie Bluntschly



Marla Bolton
Bernice Bostick
Jackie Bounds
Lisa Braddock
Tara Brady

We're from Brazil!

Lucia Bramanti
David Brant



Bill Brassea
Becky Buie



Carla Bunnell
John Burgess



Kathy Burk
Jeff Burns



Rick Bush
Fred Cabanillas



Gerrie Carr
Freddy Carrasco



Freddy Castillo
Robert Castillo



Jorge Vieira is shown here refereeing in the City Youth soccer League.

"We are from Brazil" stated Fabio Guerra and Jorge Vieira. Fabio and Jorge are two of the Rotary foreign exchange students. Fabio has been attending Casa Grande High since January 29, 1978. Jorge arrived in Casa Grande on February 18, 1978. "I really like it here, but the teenagers are very unfriendly," said Fabio. According to Fabio adults are easier to get to know. "I think teenagers here have a lot to share" commented Jorge.

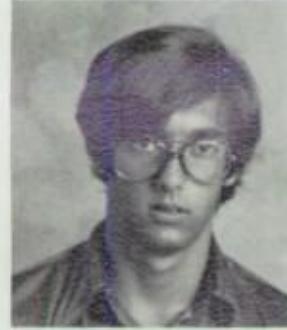
Fabio and Jorge both live at Tierra Grande, a subdivision of 11 mile corner. "I am staying with the Robinson family; they are really nice" said Jorge. Fabio is presently staying with the Taylor family. "Everything was very different for me at first, but I like it now," explained Fabio.

Fabio and Jorge plan on coming back to Arizona to visit their family and friends. "I recommend to everybody to be an exchange student. It is a good experience," said Jorge.

"I'll be sad to leave, but at least I'll remember the good times I had here. Thanks CGUHS for this year of '78, it was just super," stated Fabio.



Raymond Castonguay
Mike Cavenee
Jonathan Clark
Kim Clark
Teresa Cleaver



Mark Coates
Mark Coats
Natalie Colby
Chester Collins
Bobbi Cook



Vicki Cook —
Phillip Coons
Charles Cooper
Darren Cooper
Doreen Cooper

Junior Editor leads way



Lisa Braddock, is editor of the 1978-79 Cougar Growl. Lisa has worked hard to lead the newspaper staff to one of the best papers the school has ever put out. "I've got a very young, inexperienced, staff but by the end of the year we're all going to be the best organized staff the school has ever seen," commented Lisa. As editor of the Growl, Lisa assigns stories, helps do layouts, but most of all help the new members of the staff get used to the things that they're supposed to do, plus to cope with the adviser saying "Three minutes till deadline!" "This has been a very rewarding year for me, the staff and the school this year."



Mike Cooper



Robert Costales



Rosemary Cortez



Nancy Courts

**Heather Cowen
Cathy Cowser
Alice Crabbe
Jeff Crandall
Jan Creach**



**Ray Crockett
Sherry Crow
Randy Culwell
David Cummings
Jon Cummings**



**Alfred Curtis
Brenda Dalton
Patty Dalton
Susan Daniel
Karen Davis**



**Mike Davis
Terry Day
Danny Decker
Eugene Dekker
Christobal Deleon**



**Rachel Deleon
Jim Denby
Ken Dick
Kenny Dodge
Terry Doty**



**Deborah Dover
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Lorenzo Durant**



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Karen Fryhover**

**Carrie Fuhlage
Sandy Fulbright
Alessa Fullen
Sharon Gaddis
Jackie Gahagan
Benny Galvez**

**Benny Garcia
Carmen Garcia
Debra Garcia
Dion Garcia
Jim Garcia
Kathy Garcia**

AFS'ers recall memories

Aloha! That word of farewell may be a little inappropriate now, but it wasn't a year ago for two CGUHS students.

Each year, AFS sends as many students as possible to different places abroad and within the country. Last year CGUHS sent Juniors Terry Acuna, and David Hernandez to Chatham, Mass., and Attica, New York, respectively. Terry left January 22; her stay lasted until July 6.

"I had to see that there was another place besides Casa Grande," Terry commented. "It was hard for me to believe that people could be so different just because they live far apart."

Chatham is a small town in Mass. Terry attended a small high school

of about 200 students. Terry stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Quido Stello. She had two brothers and two sisters.

David left for Attica, New York, January 23, and stayed until July 5.



Attica has a population of 2,500, and a high school of about 800 students. While in Attica, David became involved in the Ski club. He also learned how to roller skate, and snowmobile. The people were nice, but they didn't know how to act towards me at first," David commented. The high school was all-white, and David is a Mexican-American.

He stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller. David had 3 sisters and 5 brothers. The Miller family took David to Pennsylvania, where he visited Gettysburg and Hershey. "Everybody should try it" he remarked, "because sooner or later everyone has to move away from his or her family. This taught me a lot. If I had the chance to do it again, I would."

Maribel Garcia
Louis Garza
Sam Garza
Steve Gater
Valerie George
Steven Gilbert



Mel Glotfelty
Norma Gobea
Gilbert Gogel
Angel Gonzales
Orlando Gonzales
Stuart Goodman



Brian Goodwill
Lori Grady
Jayson Gransbury
Margie Green
Penny Green
Fablo Guerra



Sharon Gutierrez
Nancy Haguewood
Mary Halbison
Mike Hallford
Mike Handcock
Greg Harasha



Bob Hardin
Mike Harp
Becky Harris
Gail Hart
Michelle Hatfield
Kenneth Hawk



Joel Henness
Carlos Hernandez
Chris Hernandez
Daniel Hernandez
David Hernandez
Jenny Hernandez



John Hernandez
Juliana Hernandez
Marylou Hernandez
Terry Hernandez
George Hoke
Naomi Horst



AIASA Sweetheart: Susan Daniel



Have you ever wondered what it would be like to run for state sweetheart? Ask Susan Daniel, State AIASA Sweetheart for 1978-1979.

Susan was chosen at the state conference in Flagstaff in April of 1978. She was nominated by Freddy Cabinillas.

"It's an experience to meet different people," Susan explained, but she will not run for office next year.

Although AIASA has only existed for four years, Susan was the first board member from Casa Grande.



Mark Horton
Perry Hughes
John Imes



Cheryl Jackson
Debra Jackson
David Jewell
Allen Jones
Byron Johnson
Doug Jones



Lester Jones
Alma Kakar
Susan Keasler
Allen Kendall
Janet Kimberlin
Donnell King



Ruthell King
Darrelynne Kisto
John Kluver
Mark Kness
Linda Knibbs
Pam Hoffman

Robert Knibbs
Linda Knighten
Robin Kornegay
Kathy Kovach
Sharon Kramer



Lori Kunz
Raul Lara
Robert Lawson
Craig Lehman
Scott Lehman



Rod Leon
Sally Lewallen
Annette Lewis
Curtis Lewis
Sherrie Linton



Martha Little
Anna Lopez
Gigi Lopez
Helen Lopez
Shari Loveall



Heidi Lunt
Shannon Macey
Colleen Mack
Susan Mahlberg
Todd Manning



Margaret Manuel
David Martin
Dianna Martinez
Frances Martinez
Ralph Martinez



Michele Mauvais
Mike McBryde
Lynette McDonald
Doug McEvoy
Julie McGhee





Linda McGuire
Todd McHaney
Tammie McNeil
Julie Means
Tim Meek



Henry Mejia
Jerry Mejia
Marie Mendez
Elizabeth Mendoza
Darla Meyers



John Meyer
Ron Mickelsen
Peggy Miller
Rhonda Milligan
David Milne



Curtis Mineer
Mark Misunas
Monty Montgomery
Moses Montiel
Pamela Montijo



Building a float for the Homecoming parade is one of the biggest projects of the year. The junior class participated in this project. Approximately fifteen people gathered at Milo Hardt's house each night to work on the float. The juniors decided on the title, "Cougars Munch on Criminal Crunch," for their float theme. Mel Glotfelty, the school mascot, was the only participant riding on the float. The junior class worked hard and steadily for two weeks until the float was completed. Although the junior float did not take first in the competition, they did place second.

As they were building the float one of the juniors commented, "Boy! I've never seen so many napkins in my life."

Success is our goal

"The Junior Council is doing a great job," commented Rochelle Armenta, president of the Junior Class. "It takes a lot of work to have success, and we plan on reaching our goals," said Rochelle. "Our first project was the Homecoming float." "We didn't take first place but second satisfies me," announced Josie Echeverria. "We still have next year," said Barbie Fagerberg. "We plan on having a lot of money making projects," said Rochelle. The Junior Class has recently been selling candy and having bake sales. "Most of this money is going toward the Prom," commented Rochelle. "We are really looking forward to having a good Prom," said Aiessa Fullen. "I am hoping for one of the best Proms held for Casa Grande High," said Rochelle. "Success in our projects means success in our grades," exclaimed Mel Glotfelty.



JUNIOR CLASS COUNCIL: (Back) Diane Blewer, Mel Glotfelty, Rochelle Armenta. (Front Row) Josie Echeverria, Barbie Fagerberg, Aiessa Fullen, and Diamond Xiarhos.

Tony Montijo
Johnny Moore
Greg Moreno
Bryan Murphy
Patricia Murphy



Monica Murrieta
Kent Myers
Delia Nava
John Niesh
Jim Nicodemus



Vicki Norris
Dave Novotny
Anna O'Connell
Christine Nunes
Michele Ochoa



Beth Odom
Carmellia Ortega
Martha Ortega
Mike Owens
John Palmer





Ricki Parker
Julie Parks
Paul Mitchell
Debra Paytosh
Lydia Perez



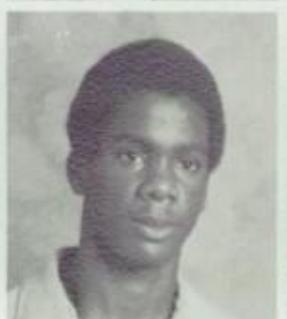
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Jerry Peterson
Donna Pittman
Wendy P. [redacted] Jan



James Pryor
Isabel Quintanar
Frank Ramirez
Maria Ramirez
Robert Ramos



Diana Rascon
Carl Ratliff
Kim Reed
Geoff Richmond
Irma Riggins



Ramon Rios
Mike Rizzo
Randy Robbins
Richard Roberts
Bertha Rodriguez



Robby Rodriguez
Sarah Rojas
Jeff Sanders
Marie Scavo
Susan Schletter



Terry Scott
Marvin Shade
Deann Shelton
Leonard Skinner
Daryl Smith

Curtis Steinhoff
Terry Stephan
David Stewart
Frank Stewart
Ed Stone



Tracy Tabor
Laura [redacted]
Eric [redacted]
Ernie Tapia
Jesse Temores



Ron Tipton
Donna Tollet
George Torres
David Trammell
Joe Trent



Robert Trevino
Tami Truman
Rachel Valenzuela
Kevin Vance
Jeannie Vandenberg



Jeff Verhey
Norma Vidal
Jorge Vieira
Mary Villa
Bertha Vitela

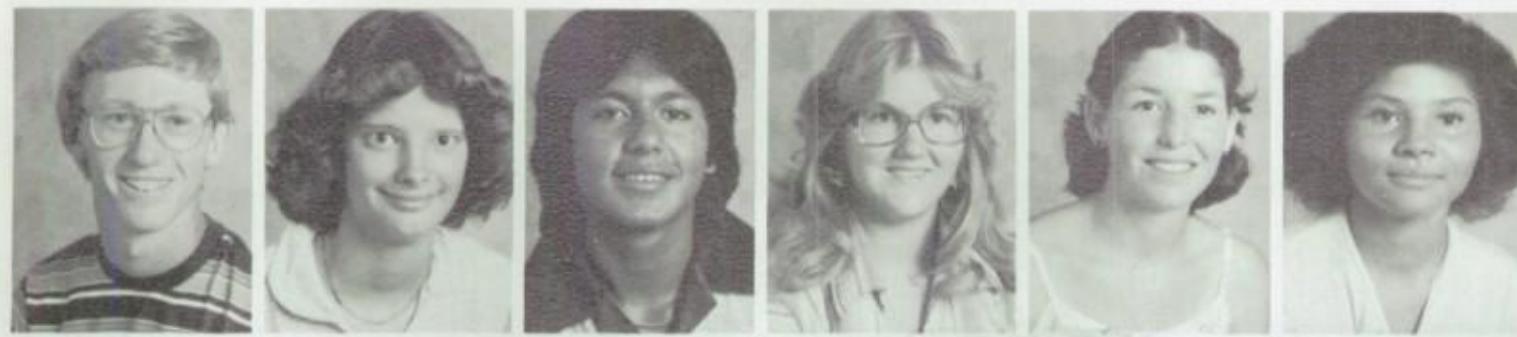


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Michele Vrabel
Sandra Walters
Vince Warhurst
Dan Waring

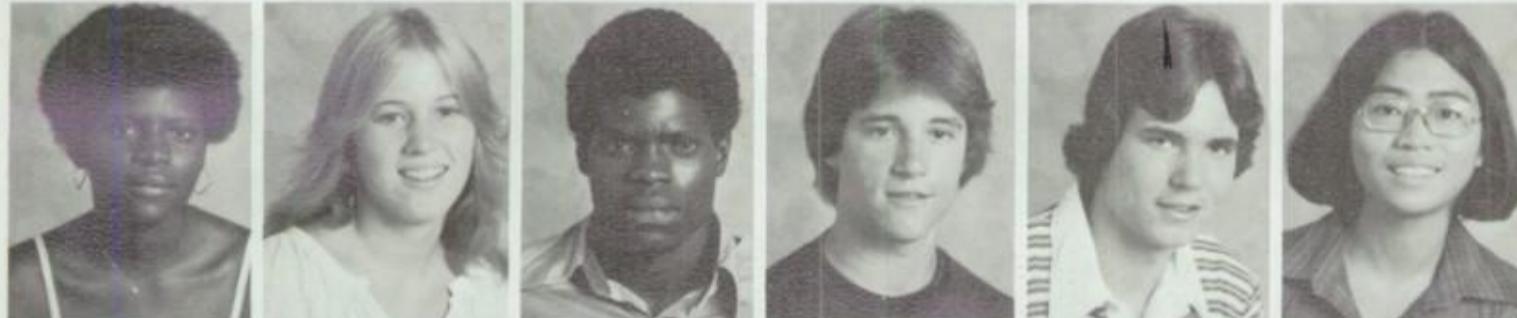


Lora Warner
David Watson
Lorna Webb
Billy Weber
Herbert Webster





Tim Wells
Dawn Weston
Derek White
Cynthia Wibur
Christine Wilden
Melody Wilford



Ezila Williams
Lynn Williams
Willie Williams
Kent Wilson
Keith Winans
Amy Wong



Gary Wood
Diamond Xlarhos
Henry Ybarra
Gilbert Zepeda
Ralph Zepeda
Domingo Zuniga



John Ball
Terri Calloway
Lisa Conde
Lori Curtis
Lavena Davis
Jenny Echeverria



Ann Ford
Angie Gerken
Roy Reeves
Allen Robinson
Dave Scott
Leslie Tyson



Juniors not pictured

Julie Ahmsaty
Johnny Bernal
Russel Blackwater
Milo Hardt
Robin Haynes
Ruby Johnson
Debbie Jones
Lois Jones
John Lawson

Richard McDonald
Jerry Montijo
Juanita Perez
Luis Sanchez
Bill Smith
Derwin Stevens
Richard Thompson
Doug Torres



Deann Young

Students in their sophomore year often find the year most difficult, but most progressive. How many times have you, a sophomore, thought that juniors have all the fun. Well you were wrong. When you become a junior in the fall of 1979, you will walk into your English 5 class the first thing the teacher will say to you is "Research paper." From then until the time the research paper is due you will pull hair and bite fingernails worrying about it.

After English is over you go to American history. The teacher takes roll and says "History project." By the time you get through English and History you are bald and have raw fingers.

Next you have one of the classes most high school students enjoy. This most famous class is called Drivers' Education. In this class you have two teachers named Wes Flynn and Clint Meyers. Here you spend most of your time laughing, because Coach Meyers has many problems pronouncing the names on his roll sheet.

The one problem with taking a drivers' ed class is when you walk through the door and expect to become a hot rod or low rider overnight.

(Upper Right) Tony King plays with a friendly Doberman. (Bottom Right) Misty Diwan and Miriam Kirby relax at the Florence Gymkhana. (Below) Jason Burk shoots the basketball game for the cable TV station KGHS-TV.



SOPHOMORES

CLASS OF 81-81-81-81-SO





Troy Ackley
Dalia Aguirre
Monte Aldridge
Thierry Allred
Tony Amarillas
Jose Amaya



Todd Anderson
Shane Andrade
Jeanea Andriano
Roberta Ankney
Elizabeth Antone



Troy Antone
David Apodaca
Diana Apodaca
Manuel Apodaca
Dorina Armendariz
Terri Armendariz



Jeanie Ashby
Darlene Ayers
Lynnell Baird
Osie Barkley
Tony Barrera
Carlos Becerra



Diane Beeson
Kirk Beren
Duane Bidegain
Ann Bigger
Steve Bilbie
Christine Bingham



Scott Boedecker
Leslie Bonebrake
Ida Bonilla
Jeff Bornhorst
Brenda Bounds
Angel Brackeen



Cammy Brazell
Skip Brock
Julia Brotherson
Cheryl Brown
Jeff Brown
Brentley Buell

'You, you're the one'

"You, You're the one" was the theme for the sophomore float. It took twelve group votes to decide upon the theme.

Steve Ornelas volunteered his home for the construction site of the float.

The sophomores began creating the float on the sixteenth. It took two [REDACTED] people a night, and millions of napkins to complete the float.

As Steve commented "It didn't matter if we won. We participated and enjoyed making the float."

(Left) The sophomore class float, which took third place in Homecoming competition, was displayed to the crowd during the parade.



Jason Burk
Wendall Carnes
Scott Carpenter
Mickie Carranza
Deborah Carroll
Scott Cassels



Enrique Castillo
Chris Castonguay
David Cavenee
Gilbert Celaya
John Chamblin
Micheal Chance



Martha Chavez
Martin Chavez
Mary Helene Chavez
Robbie Church
Charles Churchwell
Floyd Cleaver



Julie Coates
Angela Cody
Toni Colby
Donald Collins
Paula Collins
Benjamin Combs





Shawn Conner
William Cons
Edward Contreras
Dale Coops
Eva Cordova
Frank Cortez



Jenny Coxon
Thomas Coxon
Lisa Coyle
Rick Crandall
Scott Crawford
Lisa Criger



Leola Crockett
Mitch Crockett
Danny Crum
Carlos Cruz
Carl Dangerfield
Doug Dammann



Marlin Daugherty
Jackie Davenport
Chaelo Davila
Jerome Davis
Marcella Davis
Joe Deleon



Maria Delgado
Paul Dennehy
Mark Desimone
Jo-Ann Dick
Misty Diwan
Martin Duarte



Cindy Dunkelberger
Lupe Duran
Roger Duran
Donna Durant
Jerri Edwards
Robert Encinas



Brenda Erickson
Carmen Espinoza
Enrique Espinoza
Isabel Estrada
Roby Everhart
Gary Falls

'It was a great year'

The 1978-79 Sophomore class council was led by their fearless leader Steve Ornelas.

"This had to be one of our most exciting years ever," commented Steve. The Sophomore class had one of the best councils the school had ever seen. Terri Holmes class rep.-at large said, "if there was any class that could do it, this was it."

SOPHOMORES CLASS COUNCIL:
(Back Row) Kelly Fitzgibbons, Dawn Nabor, Terri Holmes. (Front Row) Kevin Weatherly, Steve Ornelas. (Not Pictured: Jason Burk, Robbie Church.)



Kim Faulstick
John Field
Anna Figueroa
Tina Fitch
Kelly Fitzgibbons
Byron Fleener



Tom Floring
Hershell Fogle
Curtis Farrell
Cheryl Fouse
Howard Franco
David Fullam



Darrell Fullerton
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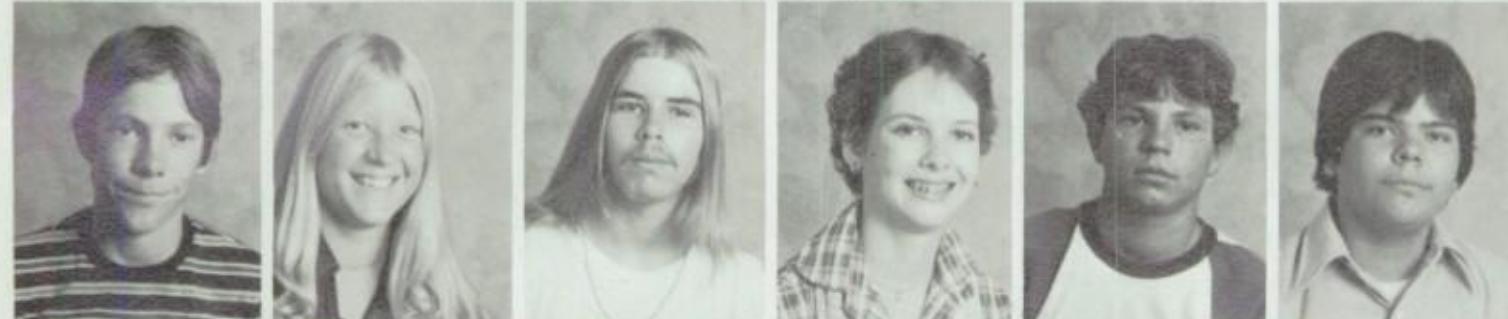


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Rosaleen Garcia
Tommy Garcia
Ermalinda Garza
Deborah Gerbig
Betty Gilbert





Edna Gilder
Chris Giles
Paula Giles
Bryon Givens
Ray Glass
Mike Glover



Russell Goff
Stacy Grigg
Loren Guenther
Betsy Guinn
Ben Gutierrez
Tony Gutierrez



Leonard Guzman
Paul Hall
Toni Hall
Joe Hallford
Maria Harasha
Tomi Hardin



Jackie Harer
Pam Harris
Gena Harvier
Patti Hasko
Debbie Haugh
Jody Haynes



David Hekking
Wynona Hendrickson
Jud Henry
Albert Hernandez
Bow Hernandez
Celestino Hernandez



Ida Hernandez
Linda Hernandez
Pablo Hernandez
Michele Herrington
James Heskett
Delinda Hill



Randy Hintz
Diane Hipps
Scott Hoag
Todd Hoag
Carlos Hoke
Warren Holden

Terry Holguin
Mitch Holmes
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Kevin Homer
Barbara Hooker
Noel Hoover



Odell Howard
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Wes Hutchins



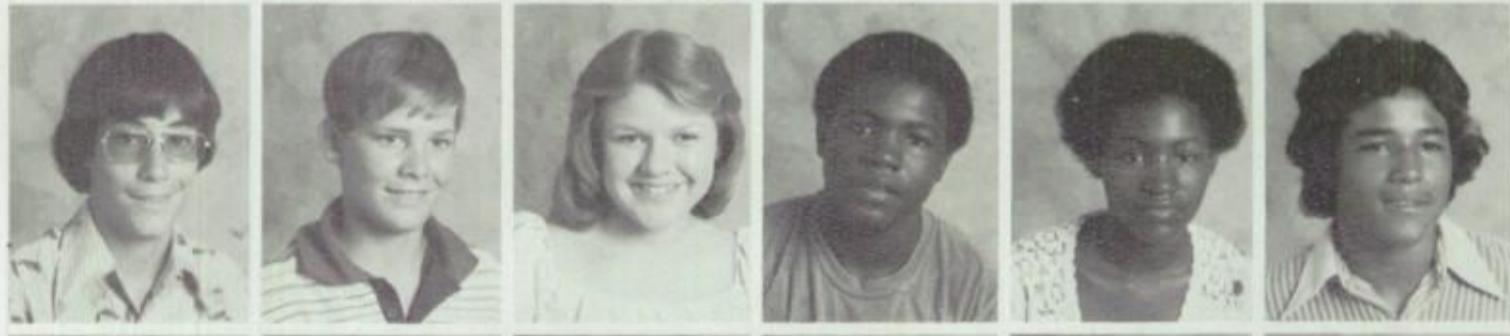
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Jeff Johnson
Scott Johnson
Davona Jones
Melvin Jones
Teresa Jones
Joe Kakar



Cheryl Kaler
Nathan Keeton
Kathy Kelley
Kelley Kenney
Tony King
Lori Kisto



Diane Klump
Cindy Knight
David Kochsmeier
Barbara Kovach
Debbie Kromer
Lance Krause





Debbie Kunz
James Laney
Sylvia Lara
Hank LaVoo
Trisha Laws
David Lay



Christina Ledezma
Angela Lilley
Tami Livermon
Sandra Long
Jimmy Lopez
Danny Lowe



Ann Lucas
Baldamal Lumbreras
Rebecca Macias
Andrea Macnab
Lisa Madrid
James Maestas



Dom Magliaro
Simon Makil
Tucker Mansager
Dalvin Manuel
Bryan Martin
Angie Martinez



Eddie Martinez
Lori Martinez
Lucia Martinez
Luis Martinez
Juanita McCaslin
Charles McCulloch



Tiana McCulloch
Jeff McElroy
Cheryl McFerrin
Christine McGregor
Christine McGuire
Deanna Mc Whirter



Lydia Medina
Arthur Mejia
Dianne Mejia
Johnny Mejia
Yolanda Melecia
Joel Mena

Playing JV Basketball his freshmen year, David Partain was starting Varsity ball his sophomore year. David is playing wing for the basketball team. When asked if he felt any pressure on him he responded, "I did feel the pressure because of my dad being a coach my freshman year, but now I don't feel any

pressure because I proved I was good enough to play." After his senior year David plans to attend Oral Roberts University or a school in Colorado. "Someday I would like to fly a 747 for a living," commented David. When David has spare time, he likes to play the piano or ping-pong.



Mike Mitchie
Linda Miller
Myra Jo Miller
Sandra Miller
Eileen Misunas
Olga Montiel



Paul Montiel
Karl Montoya
Rhonda Moore
Debbie Morogo
Kathy Morgan
Brian Morris



Susan Morse
Cheryl Mumme
Pete Munoz
Lisa Murrieta
Carlene Myers
Dawn Nabors



Maria Nava
Sylvia Nava
Jerl Nelson
Terri Nelson
Bryce Norris
Kathryn Nunes



Anthony Ochoa
Myra Olson
Michele Ornelas
Steve Ornelas
- Lisa Ortega -
Robert Solomon





Bernard Ortiz
David Osborn
Paul Ouellet
Veronica Pablo
Dee Dee Pantoja
Ricky Parris

David Partain
Ralph Pedroza
Lori Peel
David Pelletier
Charlie Pena
Josefa Pena

Isaac Perez
Adrian Peterson
Gayla Philips
Reyes Pinon
Kally Polson
John Poor

Jonna Poorman
Eric Pratt
Ansencio Prieto
Matilda Prieto
Maria Quintanar
Dolores Ramirez

Dave Rascon
Neomi Rascon
Robin Rebolloso
Dennis Reeves
Tina Revell
Herbert Rhodes

Mertis Robison
Carmelita Robles
Adam Rodriguez
Angel Rodriguez
Jaema Rodriguez
Darrin Roles

Maria Rosales
Robert Ruiz
Bill Runyan
Carl Rushing
Shelly Russ
Corina Sabori

Kelly takes O'Brian nomination

"I was surprised but very pleased that I was nominated for this distinguished award. It is quite an honor," stated sophomore Kelly Kenny. She has been nominated for this years Hugh O'Brian Youth Foundation leadership award.

Kelly competed with nominees from schools throughout Arizona. A seminar was held in Atlanta Georgia where the state winner joined winners from the other 49 states, and District of Columbia, Foreign Countries.

"With two years left in high school the seminar participants return home to motivate their classmates, to make a positive contribution, to bring forth and put to use their emerging leadership potential. Young people are our country's greatest natural resource" says Mr. O'Brian concerning the award.

O'Brian asks the young people who attend these seminars that they write to him each year on their birthdays until they are 30 years old, and tell him of their successes and failures. In turn, O'Brian writes to each one of them once a year on his birthday.

Lupe Salazar



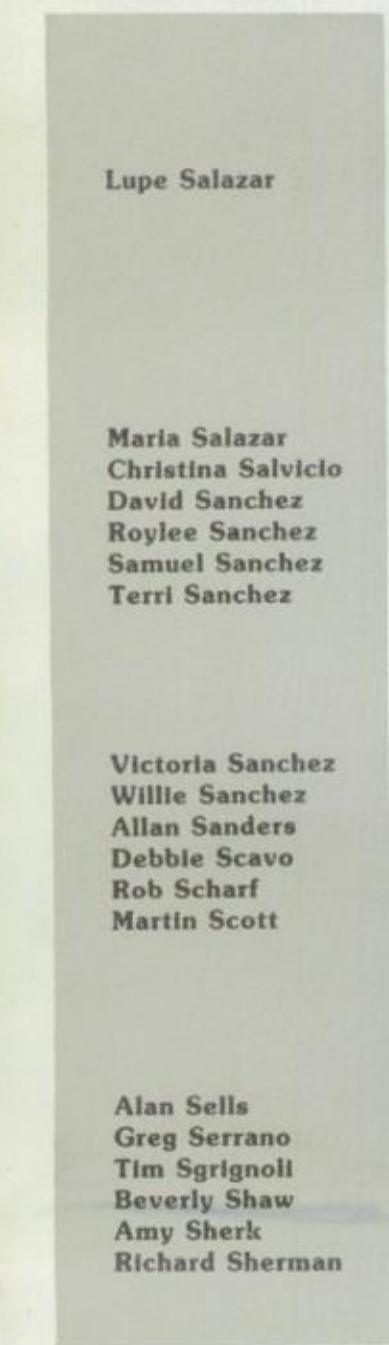
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Terri Sanchez



Victoria Sanchez
Willie Sanchez
Allan Sanders
Debbie Scavo
Rob Scharf
Martin Scott



Alan Sells
Greg Serrano
Tim Sgrignoli
Beverly Shaw
Amy Sherk
Richard Sherman



Misty is her name; Rodeo is her game



Misty Diwan is a 15 year-old sophomore, who's taken part in more rodeos than anyone in the school.

Misty is one of the best barrel racers in the state of Arizona. Misty has

participated in over 20 rodeos. "My best performance ever, was at the Florence Gymkhana. There I won 4 out of 5 races," said Misty. Misty was also named the Most Valuable Female Rider at the Florence Gymkhana.



Todd Simpso
Fred Sites



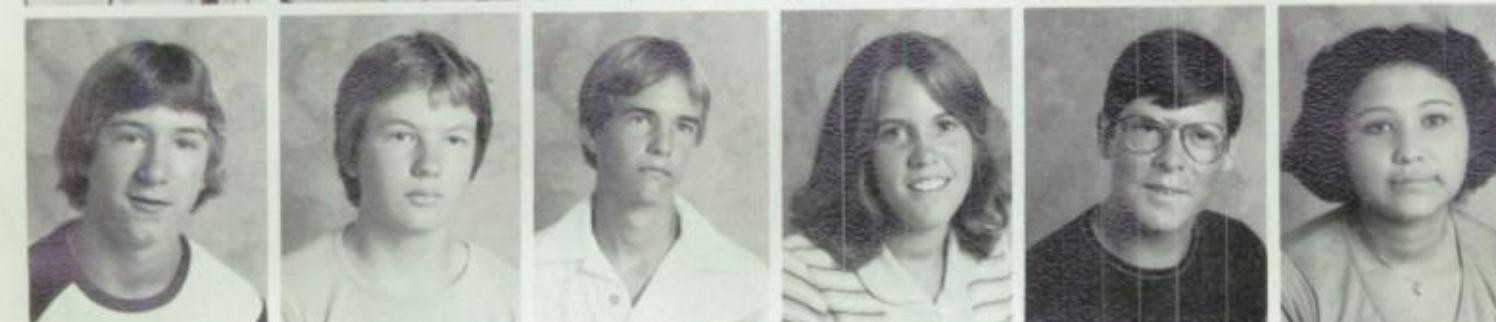
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David Solomon



Joe Sophia
David Soto
Sylvia Soto
Bobby Spiegel
Melody Springer
Lelana Standish



Johnny Stanford
Amanda Steele
John Steinbeck
Janyi Stephan
Omer Stewart
Richard Strayer



Bill Stirckland
David Sundblom
David Sutton
Kathy Swearington
Roger Sweet
Kathleen Tapia

Tommy Tapia
Mary Helen Tarango
Carrie Taylor
Alfred Temores
Barbara Testa
Niles Thomas



Debbie Thompson
Pam Thompson
Tammy Thompson
Kim Thornton
William Tippett
Rocky Tipton



David Torres
Jerry Torres
Joel Torres
Robert Torres
Hank Treadwell
Rosemary Trevino



Janet Turner
Jay Tyson
Laura Valdez
Michael Valencia
Frank Valenzuela
Steve Valenzuela



Monty Vandenberg
Emily Vanderveer
Billy Vanderslice
John Veba
Bertha Velazquez
Franklin Vincent



Cliff Wall
Danny Wallace
Bobby Washman
Kevin Weatherly
Stephanie Wesch
Jeff Whisenhunt



Darin White
Kevin White
Bob White
Mary Wilber
Debbie Williams
Roy Williams





Billy Wong
Diane Wood
Kevin Wood
Mark Woodruff
Andy Ybarra



Janet Ziegler
Scott Zesiger

Sophomores not pictured

Cindy Ashley
Jim Bailey
Cheryl Brown
Mary Castro
Irma Chapa
Kirk Craig
Ira Cultee
Jim Delgado
Madeline Enos
Tony Escalante

Gilbert Garcia
Jimmy Garcia
Joe Garcia
Melvin Jones
Theresa Jones
Jerry Kelly
Milton Kisto
Clayton Langston
Michell Losey
Lisa Martin

Jeff McElroy
Mike Meyer
Selma Miguel
Michele Mikkola
Sammie Palmer
James Quisenberry
Kelly Robinson
Earl Skinner
Gene Valencia
Ruben Zepeda



"Where's room 404?"

"Where's the gym?"

"Can you tell me what's good to eat?"

Sound familiar? Well it should. These were some of the questions freshmen were asking the first weeks of school. The freshmen had to cope with all the upper classmen giving them the hardest time of their entire lives. The first weeks of school they looked like chickens with their heads chopped off, but that's all over now. Freshmen should always remember that their first year is the most memorable of their high school life.

(Upper right) Chad Whisenhunt rests from competition at the rodeo grounds. (Lower right) Left to right: Annette Withrow, JoInny Randall, Cathy Cowser, Mike Jameson gather around Mrs. Carol Powell as she opens her farewell gift on her last day of student teaching. (Below) Dorene Anderson, Kristin Kieft, Edie Thomas (Back) study for one of Mrs. Barbara Warren's English tests.



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Carmen Acuna
Lisa Aguirre
Tony Aguirre
Stacy Alberto
Adam Alcantar
Lori Alexander



Debbie Allen
Kevin Allen
Lucinda Allen
Yolanda Alvarado
Lupe Alvarez
Monica Alvarez



Rick Alvarez
Veronica Alvarez
Merlinda Amado
Diana Anchondo
Dorene Anderson
Jeff Anderson



Dallas Andrews
- Jacqueline Antone -
- Williard Antone -
Dortha Antonio
Daniel Apodaca
Edward Apodaca



Frances Apodaca
Cheryl Armenta
Joseph Auza
Ray Avalos
Kris Barancik
Henrietta Baugus



Terri Beasley
Alton Beavers
Felipe Becerra
Tina Beecher
Denise Beeman
Kim Beeman



Terry Beets
Howard Beets
Tony Begay
Pamela Bell
Pete Benavidez
Marty Beren

Maria Bernal
Tony Bernal
Ricky Berry
John Berryhill
Gary Bidegain
D.J. Billingsley



Laura Boales
Lana Bolton
Elizabeth Bonilla
Mike Brasch
Dewight Brashier
Mark Brashier



Christy Brazell
Kevin Brown
Rebecca Brown
Susan Brown
Heidi Bruno
Karen Brunson



Donna Bunnell
Donna Burgess
Terry Bustos
Rick Bylsma
Charlie Cannon
Joe Cardenas



Wynette Carnes
Selena Carrillo
Stephanie Cassa
Marisilla Castillo
Neva Catha
Rosetta Catha



Angie Celaya
Jose Chacon
Sylvia Chapa
Diana Chavez
Ricky Chavez
Amy Cleaves



Jeanie Cline
Diane Cohoon
Terry Collins
Mario Contreras
Michael Cooper
Renee Cooper





Debra Copeland
Estella Cordova
Tom Carr
Freddy Cortez
Dane Cowan
Bytha Craddock



Mike Coyle
Robert Crum
Jocabed Cuellar
Delight Cummings
Olga Davila
James Davis



Keith Davis
Raymond Davis
Jerry Deall
Stephen Dehaan
Ida Delacreez
Marina Delacruz



Juan Deleon
Annette DeLowe
Reynold DeLowe
Angle DiGiovanni
Jimmy Dixon
John Dubois



Roger Dubois
Roxanne Eck
Laura Eddy
Warren Edwards
Sharna Elliott
Tami Emmett



Lisa Encinas
Cecelia Enos
Freddie Enriquez
Candy Erickson
Tony Espinoza
Andy Espinoza



Cadelario Espinoza
Grace Estrada
Lisa Etheredge
Max Everhart
Dan Evers
Julie Ewy

Linda Firestine
Amy Fisher
Dennis Fitzgibbons
Matthew Fitzgerald
Lois Fleener
Carmen Fleming



Freshman Ex. Council 'Shines On'



The Freshmen executive council which consists of six girls and six boys, is the brawn of the Freshman Council. They are the ones that sell buttons, candy lollipops, etc.

Although the Freshmen Executive Council isn't required to go to the student council meetings, it's still an important part of the Freshmen class.

(Front Row) John Berryhill, Delight Cummings, Julie Fagerberg, Alison Manning, Megan McCarvel, Beth Nowlin (Back Row) Eric Kleinman, Skip Younger, Joe O'Donnell, Richard Peace, (Not Pictured) Pam Bell, Dennis Fitzgibbons



Annette Gastelum
Jana Gaw
David Gayton
Steve Gayton
Mike Gerhart
Sheila Gilbert



Darlene Gilder
Kelly Giles
Lisa Gillespie
Terry Glass
Corrina Gomez
Erma Gonzales



Gloria Gonzales
Mark Gonzales
Tony Gonzales
Sherri Goodwill
Cathy Graham
Terry Grant



Don Green
Jeff Green
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Cecelia Guzman
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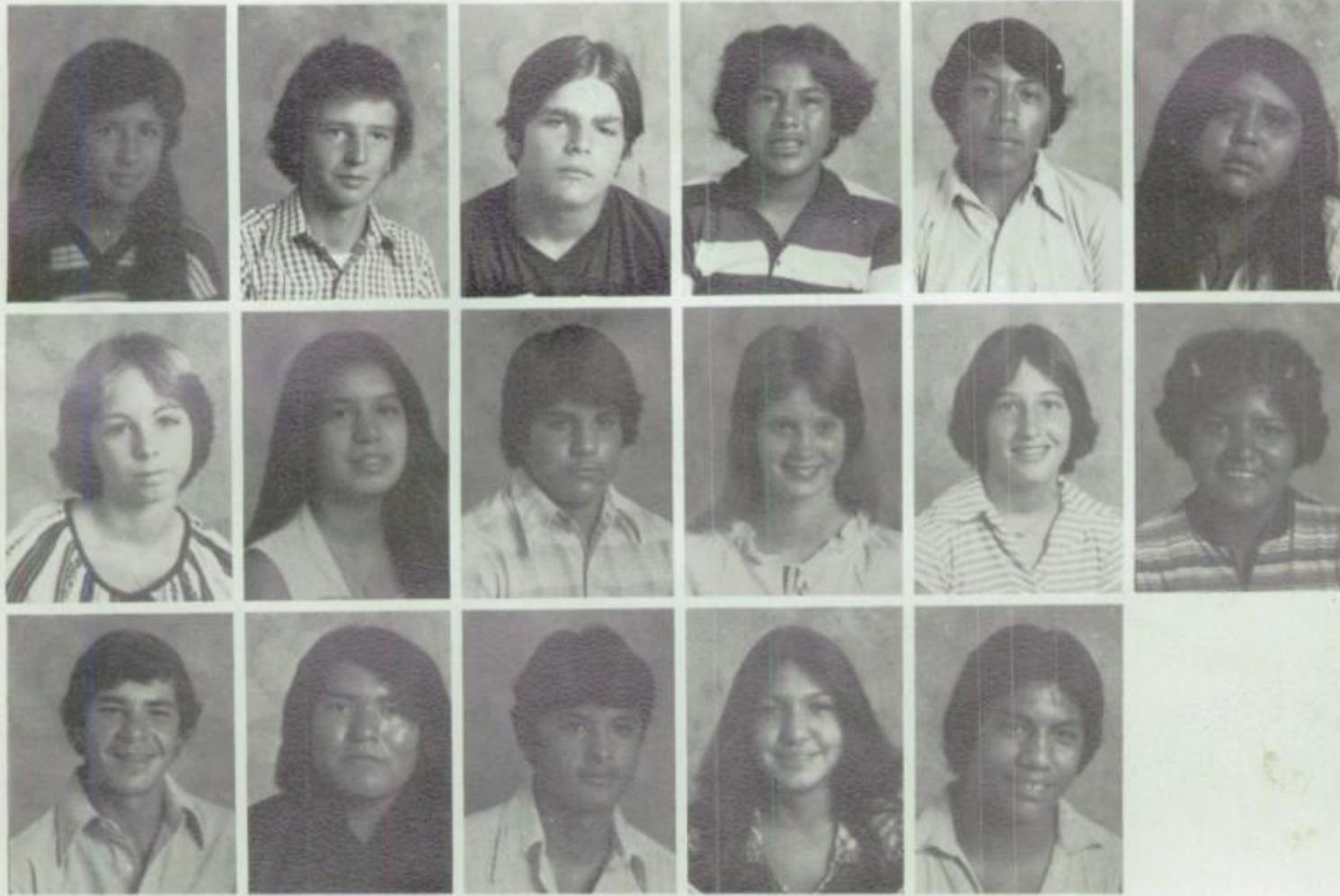


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The Class of "83" won't have much to say about organizing their schedules for the upcoming year. The Freshmen won't be able to pick their lunch periods, teachers and the period they want for a certain subject. Instead, all registration cards will be fed into the computer which will organize each student's schedule. Guidance counselors visited English classes and went through the entire registration process without ever having to wait for walk-through during August. The advantage of this new system is that school administrators will be able to determine the number of sections for each course during the Spring instead of waiting till a week before school starts. This way, class loads will be evened out so all classes will have approximately the same number of students.

Jeanie Cline and Annette Withrow review the registration forms with Freshmen Counselor Bill Eddings.

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Alaskan Ben Northey welcomed



"I never had to worry about walking to school," stated Ben Northey, "I simply put on my snow skies and skied to the front door of the school." Ben is from a little fishing town called Homer which is located in Alaska. He arrived in Arizona November 21, 1978.

"We plan on going back to Alaska this summer," Ben said, "to tell you the truth I don't think I could stand the heat." According to Ben the school here is about three times bigger than the one in Homer. He seems to think it's a slight change. "I am in basketball right now but I hope to play baseball," said Ben. He says that Arizona is like Alaska because there are many different nationalities here.

"I just want everyone to understand one thing," commented Ben, "people there don't really live in igloos and ride dog sleds."

Freshman Ben Northey points out the state of Alaska to classmate Lisa Flynn. Ben arrived at CGUHS in November after having spent the past ten years in our 50th state.

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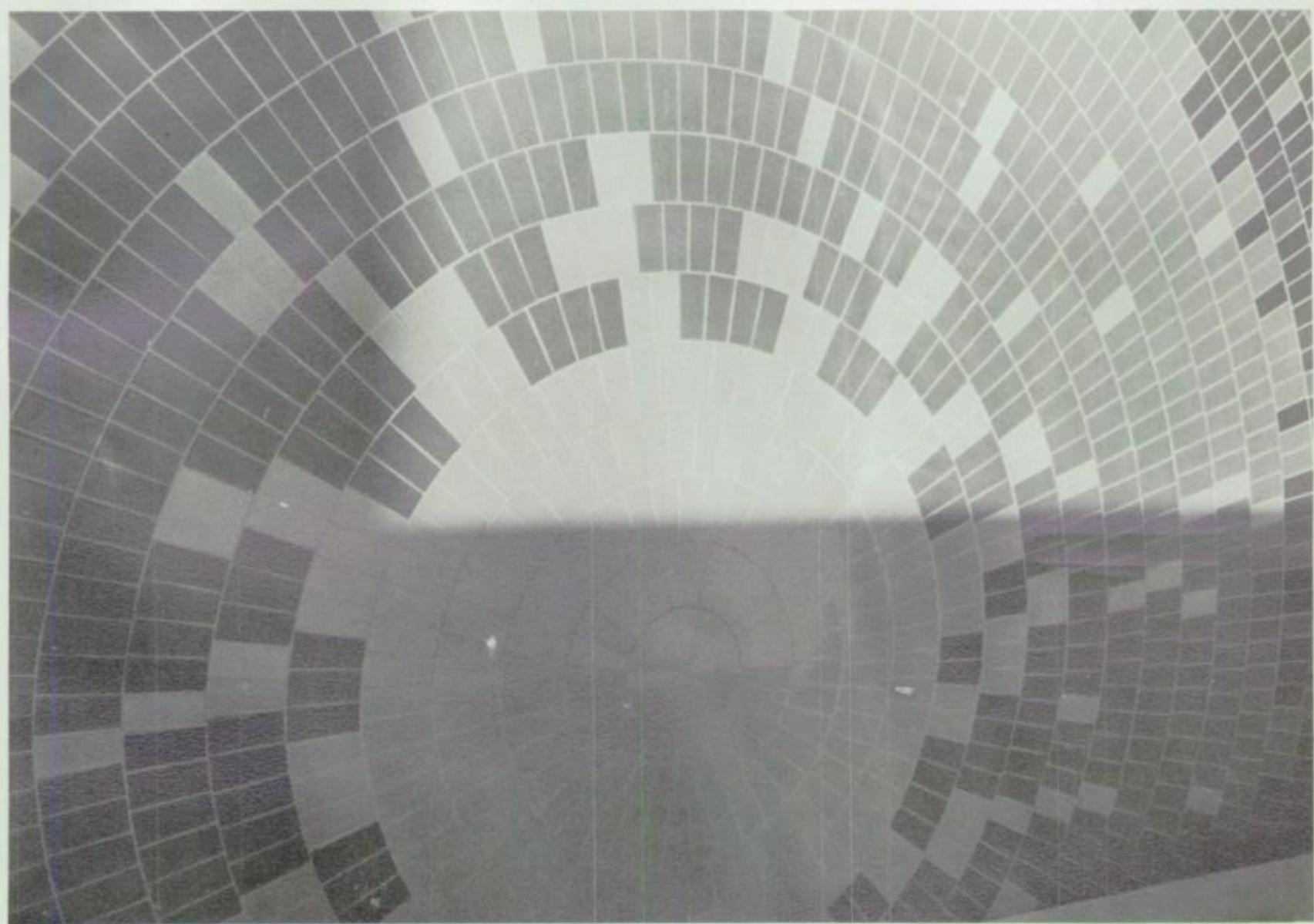
The Freshmen class began their meetings way to early on Wednesday morning, while many students are still asleep. Most of the time the Freshmen do not even know what is happening any way, Freshmen try to think most of the time, but they are always thinking with their eyes shut. Everyone in this picture is either gathering up their forty winks, or trying to catch up on their beauty sleep. To this day you can see the freshmen still sleeping in their classes.

(First row); Left to right: Roxanne Eck, John Berryhill, (Second Row); Left to right: Julie Fagerberg, Eric Kleinman, (Third row) Left to right: Alison Manning, Jackie Rowe.



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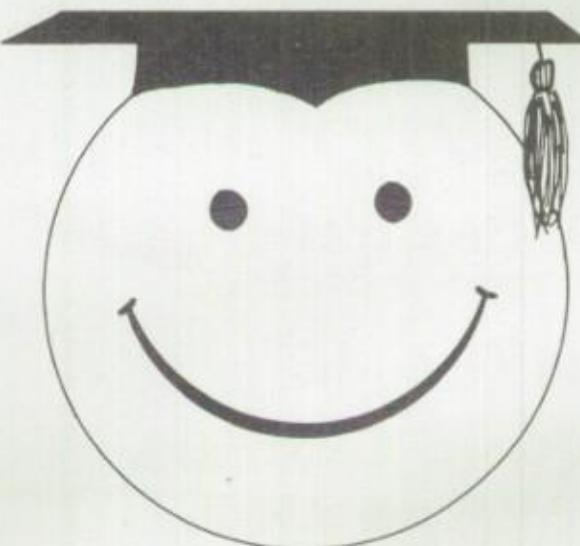
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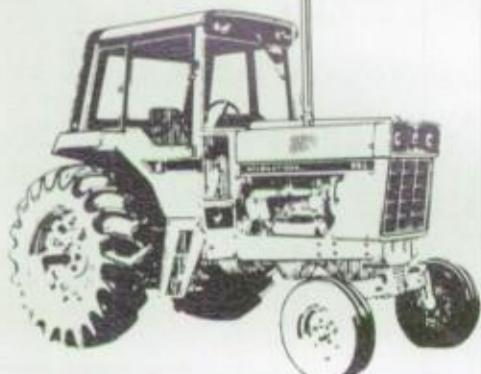
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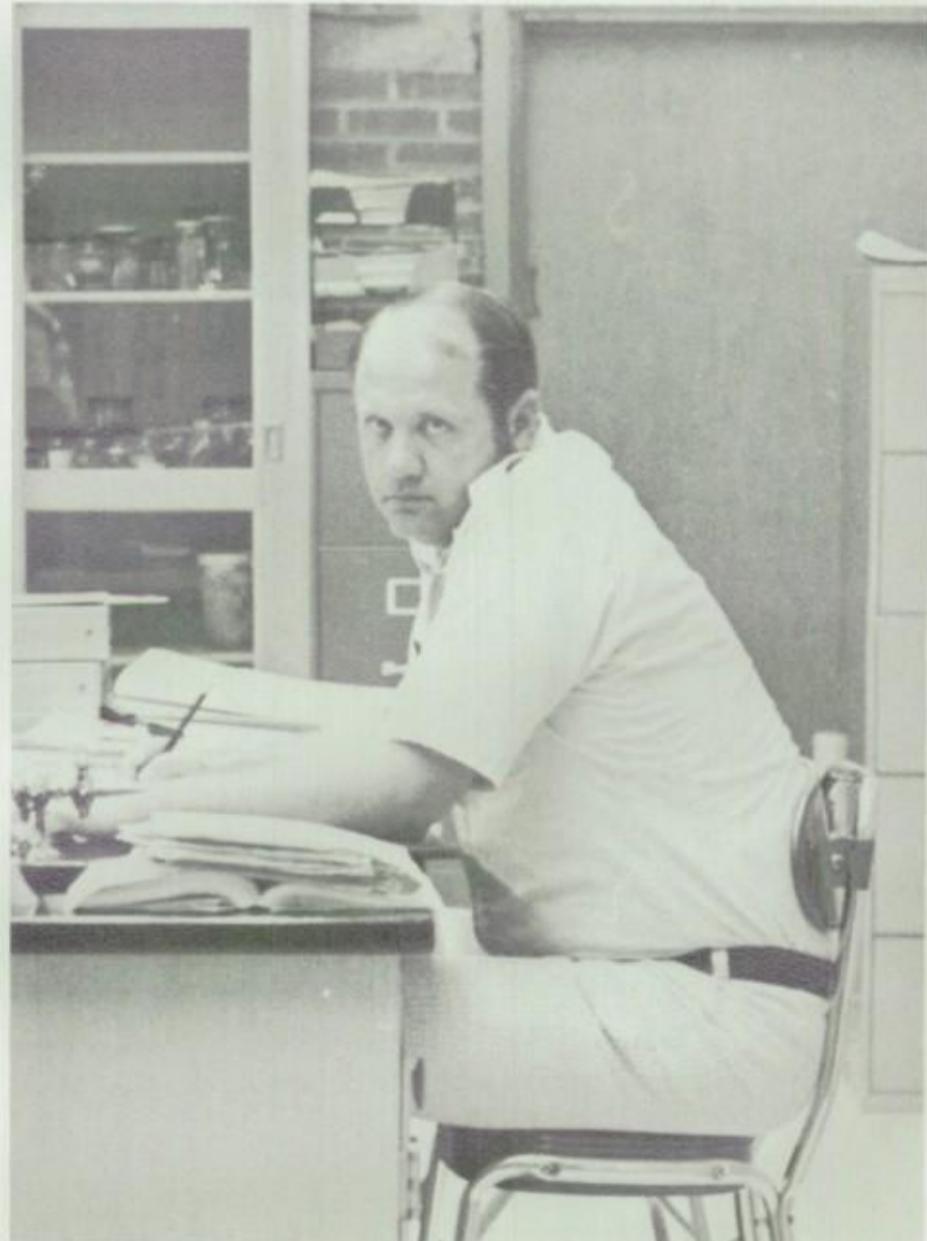
DOG-EAT-DOG WORLD . . .



"It's A Dog-Eat-Dog World," a special candid section, was produced by Lisa Apodaca.

Different smiles at C.G.U.H.S.

(Opposite page) Top Left: Mr. Jones, everybody wants into the act, even teachers. Top Right: Braces don't keep Jeff Anderson from smiling. Bottom: Smile, Stacy Grigg, you're in the yearbook. Right Smile! Below Left: Ricki Reed smiles for the camera. Below Right: No more Mr. nice teacher.





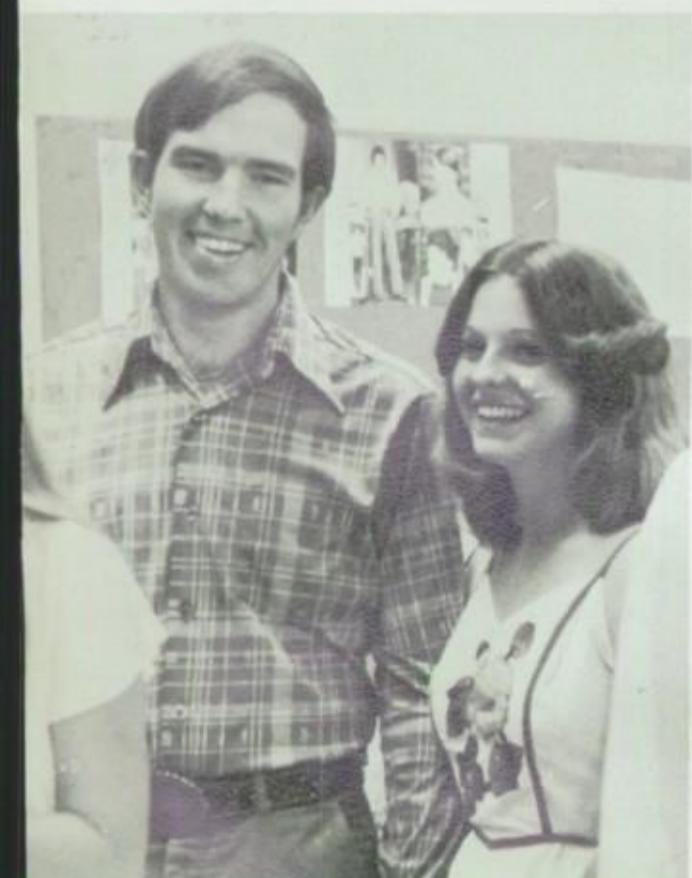
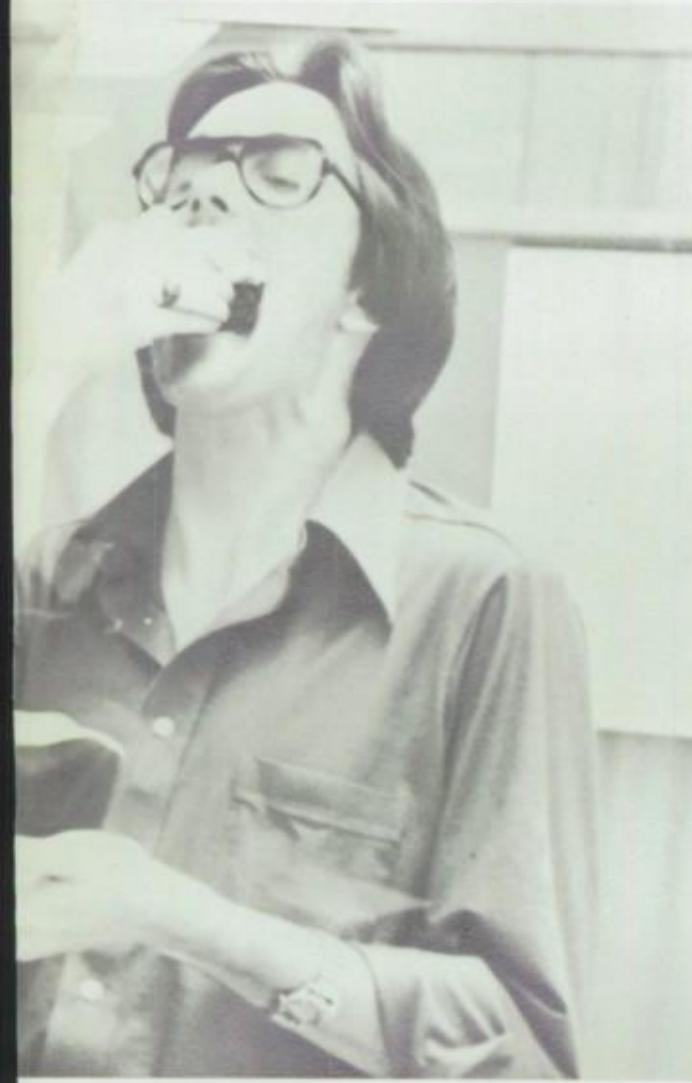
From this day forward. . .

Family Living



(Opposite page left) Tony Alley and Evelyn Burson exchange wedding vows as Tony slips the ring on Evelyn's finger. (opposite page bottom) Lupe Garcia and Johnny Burson show their excitement after the wedding as Best man, Mike Baca looks on. (Left) Curt Cassels gets a piece of wedding cake shoved

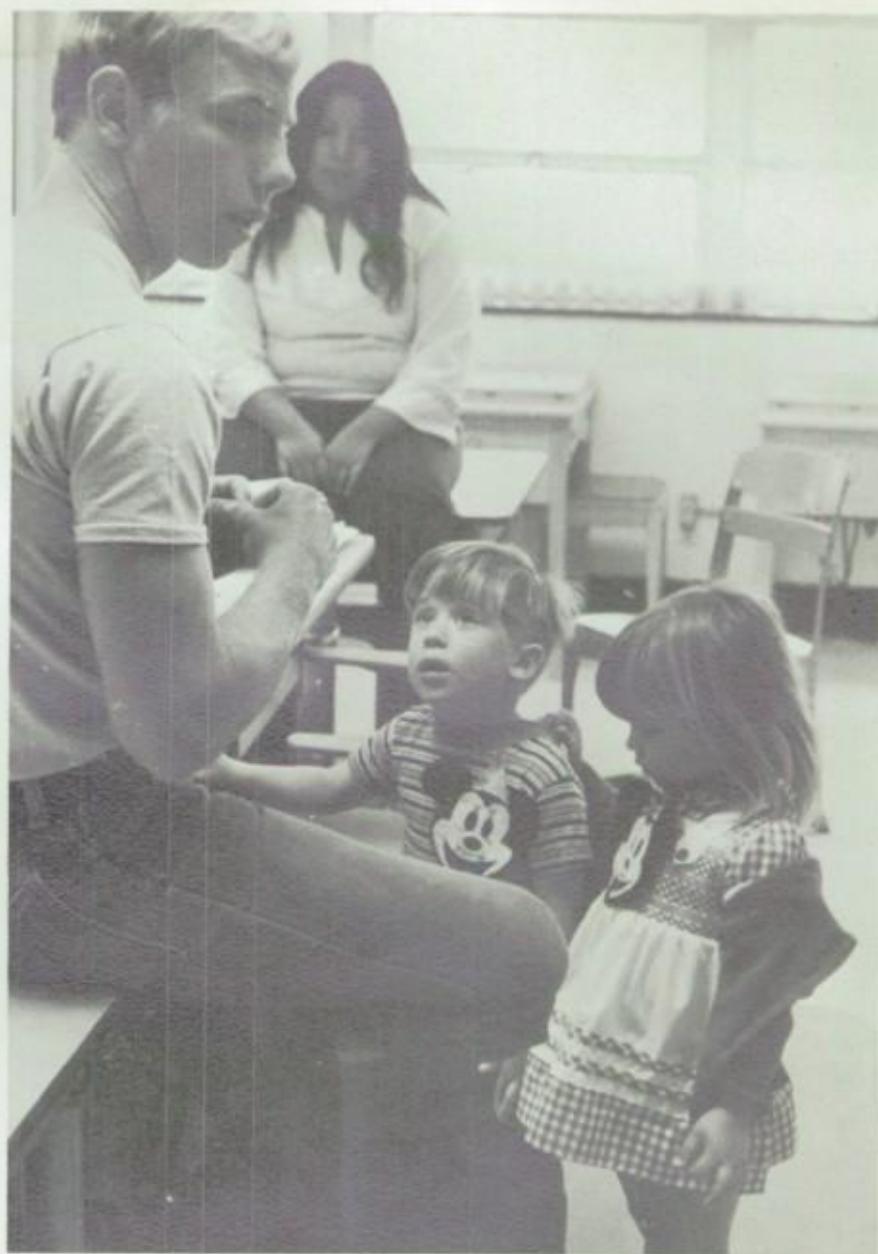
in his mouth by Barbie Hughes. (Below left) Mark Tolson and Margaret Butts walk down the aisle after exchangeing "I Do's." (Below) James Jepsen and Jennifer Heuschele commit each other by holy matrimony.



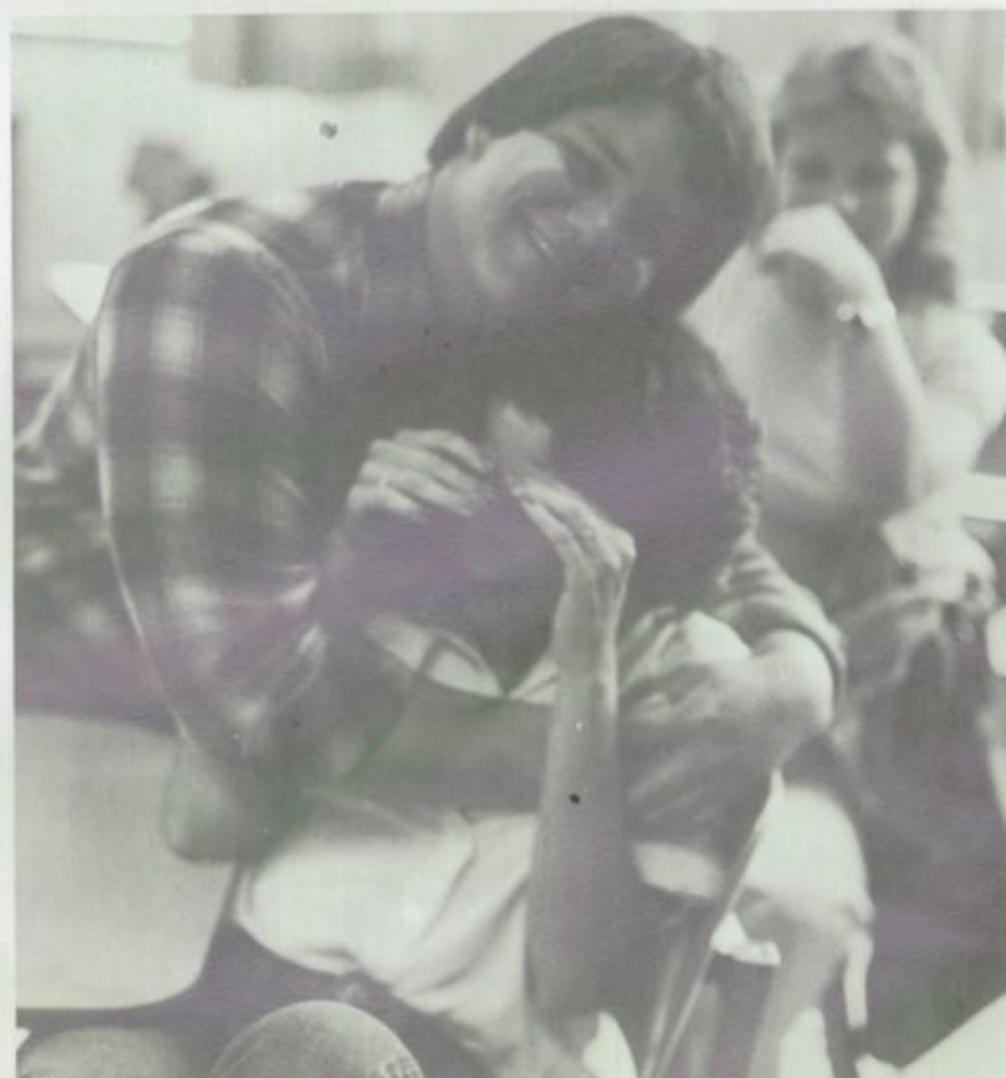
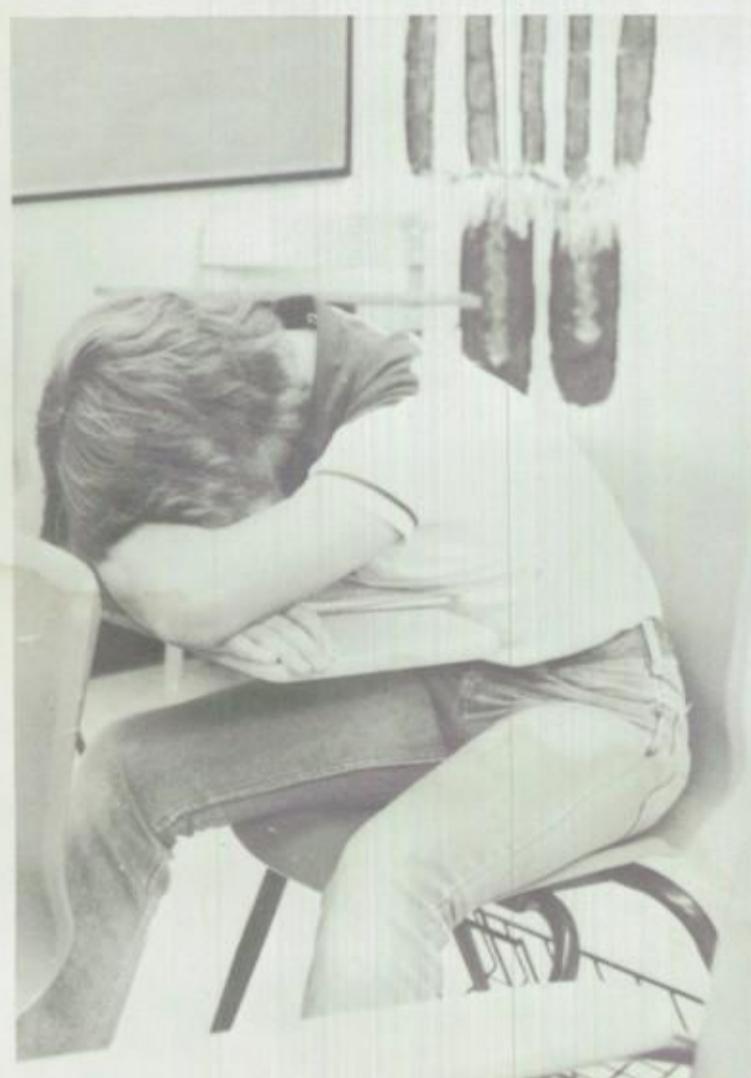
There's still a kid in everyone



(Opposite page) top right: Ruth O'Brien explains the proper way of squeezing ketchup. Top left: Eric Brendle gives a helping push. Lower right: Steve Gator explains to Martin and Jamie how to pole vault. Lower left: Ray Navaro tickles a poor innocent child. Above left: Children must play. Above right: Connie Garcia holds up Scott, a preschooler. Left: Nancy Haygood hitches a ride during a Child Development class.



Senioritis hits the Seniors





(Opposite page) Top: After 3 years of C.G.U.H.S. seniors Steve Wyble, Jeff Zimmerman, Sandy Bennel, seem to be hard at work. "Read their book up side down?" *(Lower left:* Yes! senioritis is in the air. *(Opposite page) Lower Right:* Duane Gomez, hugs LaDonna Devine while she hopes and prays that no one will see them. *Above left:* David Fitzgibbons finds time to pose for a picture . . . "cheese"! *Above right:* Donny Haygood delivers flowers to classes left: Spring time takes Jennifer into thinking about her boyfriend Bill.

What's up in campus life?



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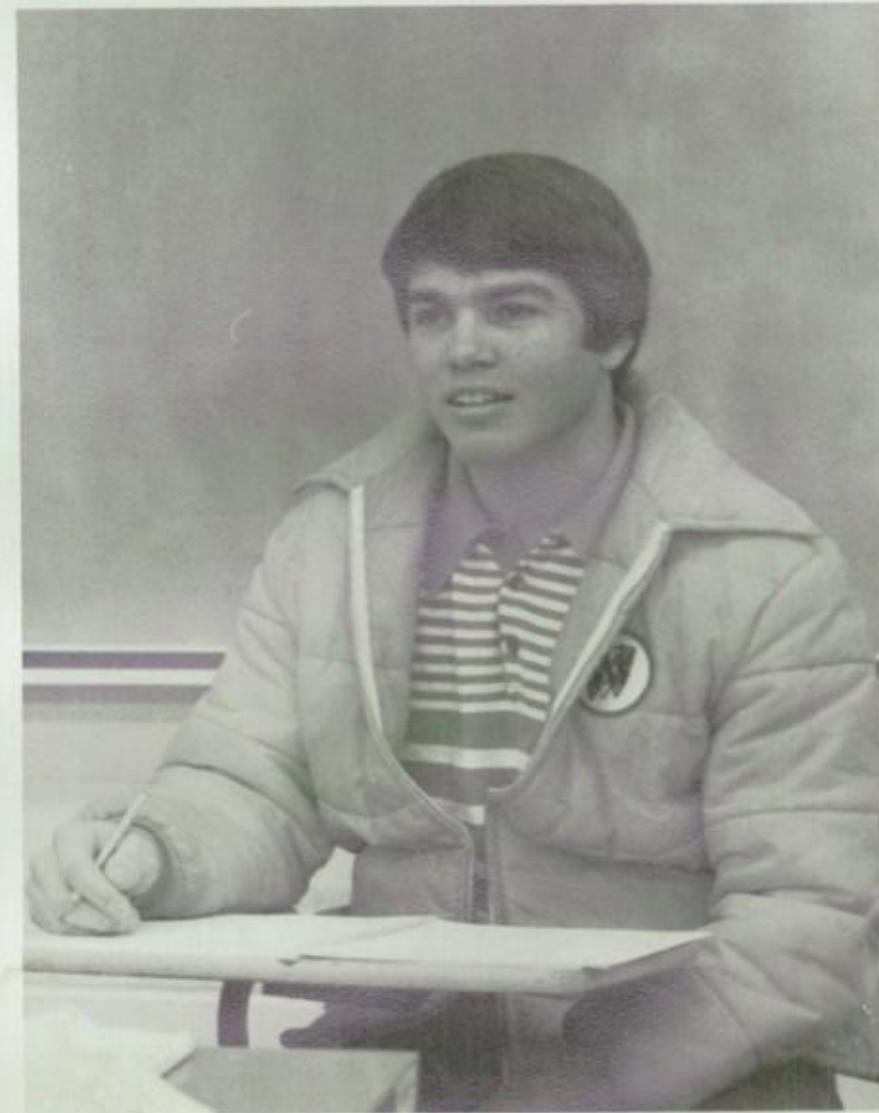
*Take a chance in the world in
Which you are living.
Take the chance to experience,
form and create.*

*Take the chance to dream a dream,
Follow a hope,
Wish upon a star.
Look beyond tomorrow, dream
beyond tomorrow, and then
live your dream through
tomorrow.*

by Danette Kauffman

(Below) Three unidentified persons take it upon themselves to have a barrel of laughs while all the sensible people are in class. Only our photographer was there to catch them red-handed. (Don't worry guys, we won't let Mr. Boone see this one.) (Left corner) Misty Diwan heads for the second barrel during a

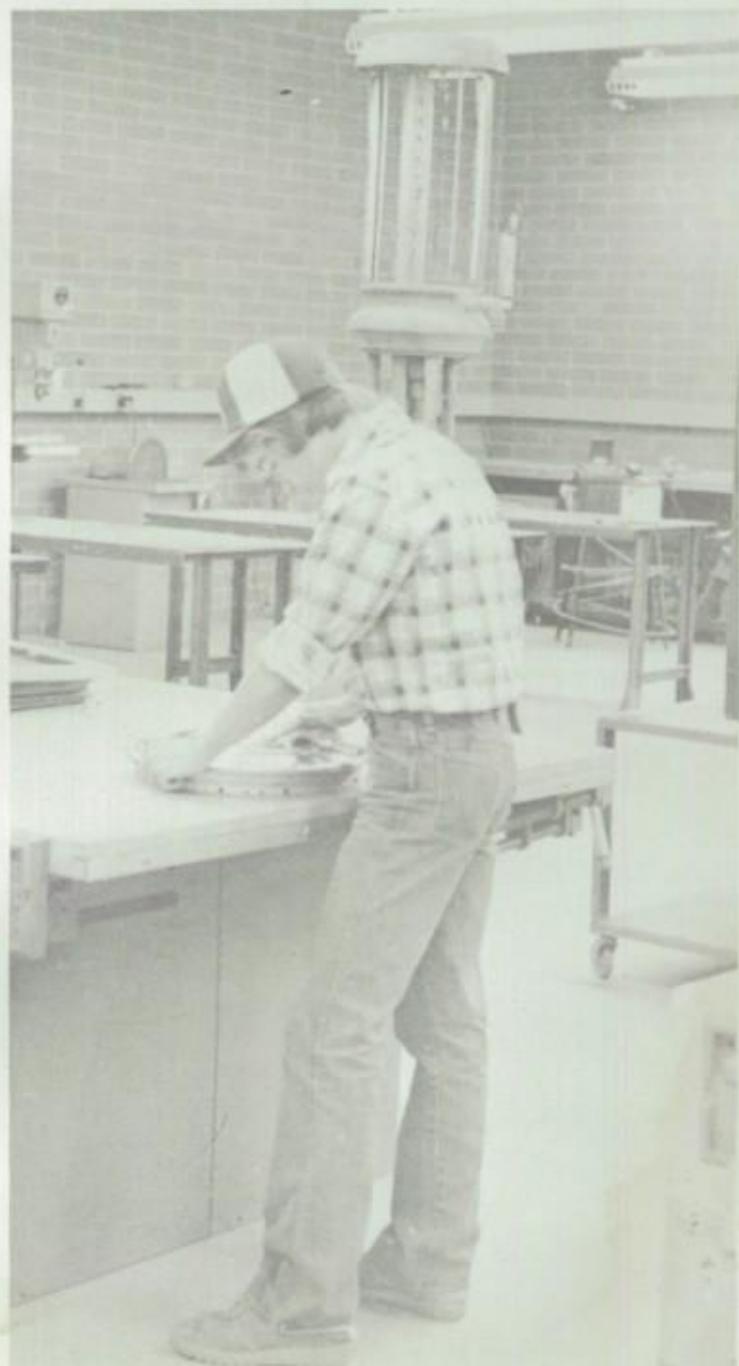
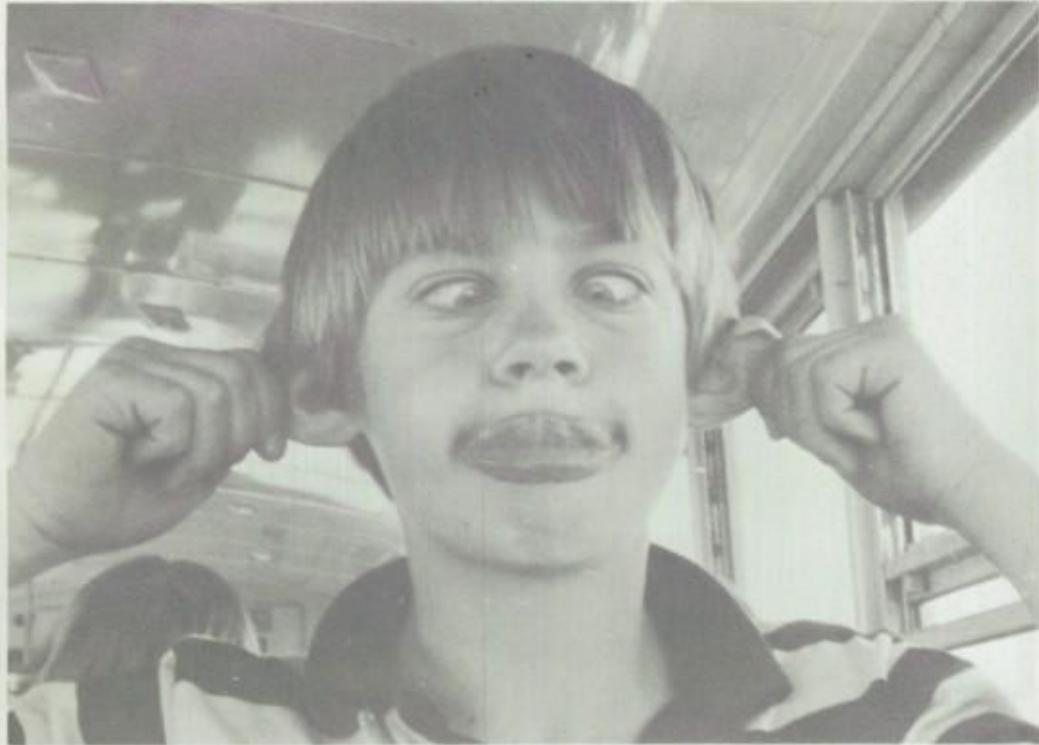
recent FFA rodeo in Florence. (Right corner) Grant Walton listens and takes down notes during the weekly Inter-Club Council (I.C.C.) meeting held every Monday morning at 7:45 in Mr. Frank's room.



A Little Extra . . .



(Above left) Kenny Hoar does a reverse dunk before a home game while practicing. (Above right) David Partain sports a new three piece outfit (jacket, pants and hat) which he bought just to show off with. (Left) Nancy Firestone works amidst a pile of "stuff" for the annual. Nancy is one of few who has come in on her own time to work for the annual.



Surprises lurk around corner



s long as there are "hidden secrets" there will always be guilty faces, hush-hush here and there and every now and then an unexpected surprise. And since most of us know that keeping a secret in this school is practically impossible, we just have to let it all hang out!

(Opposite page, left top corner) Robert Crum demonstrates his ability to imitate. Now who he's imitating... well your guess is as good as ours. (Opposite page; right top corner) Doreena Armendariz is caught by surprise by our photographer. We don't know why she has a guilty look on her face, but I bet we could take a good guess. (Opposite page; left bottom corner) Kent Kortsen and James Jepsen relate to each other on the current event: girls. (Opposite page; right bottom corner) Todd Anderson polishes a chrome hubcap off his car. (Left) Robert Echols looks like he's worried about something. Maybe he forgot he had a test in second hour. (Middle) Rodney Whisenhunt is being "molested" by Michelle Vrabel and Karla Nelson. (Below) An Indian dancer performs during the 12th annual O'Odham Tash parade. (Bottom left corner) The "support your local Cougar" float, designed by Grant Walton, David Fitzgibbons, Randy Lessor and Daryl Thompson, goes through the parade route during Homecoming. (Below right corner) Naomi Rascon has a sly look on her face. Wonder what she's been up to. (Hmmm)

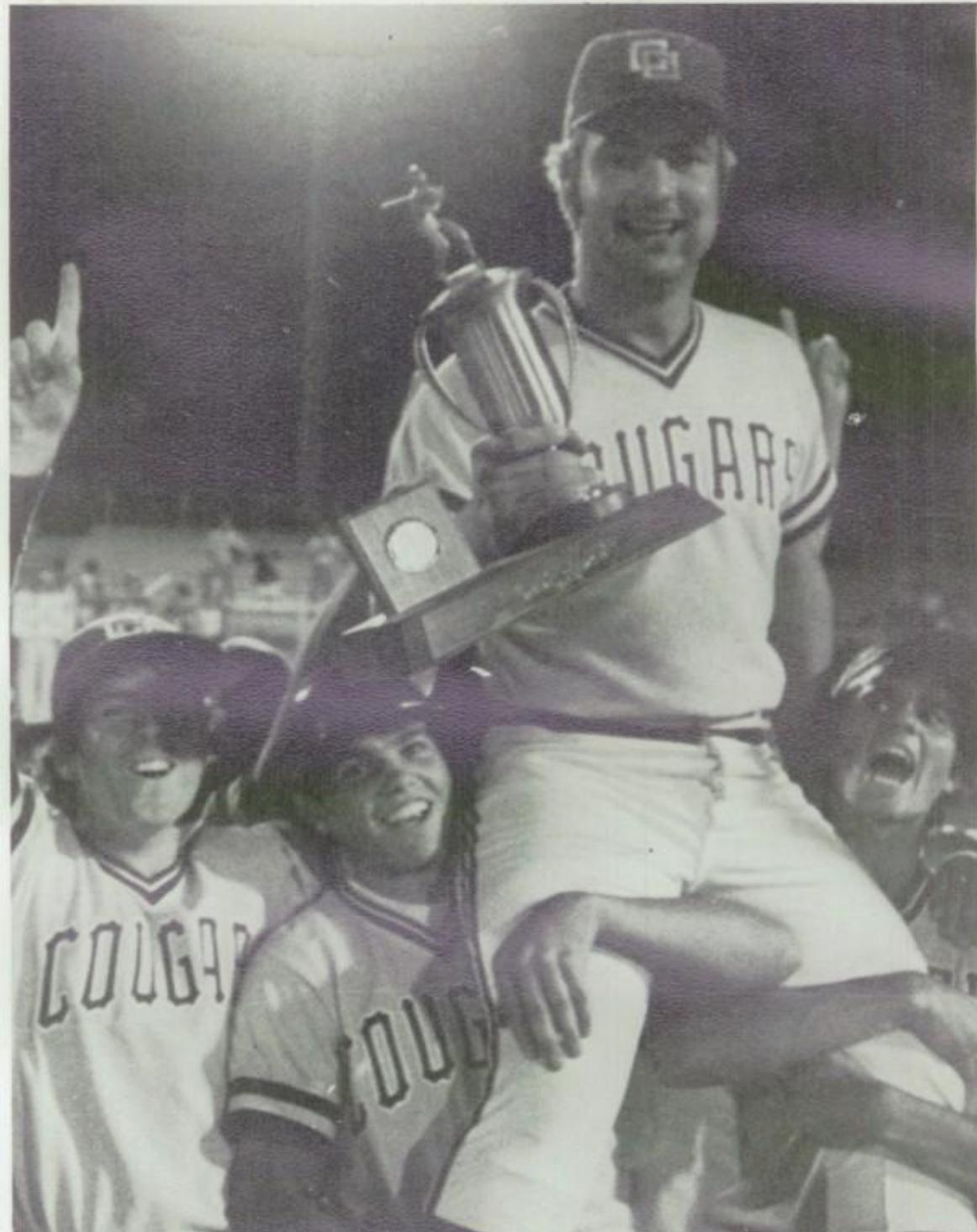


Top stories highlight 78-79

Gh the excitement! You may find it hard to believe that '78 was an action-packed year for Casa Grande, but believe us, it was!.

Casa Grande was so eventful that we will just mention the plane crash in San Diego that killed 144 people, or the two Popes dying in one year, or the first test-tube baby. Along with the first balloon to cross the Atlantic Ocean, or the sex murders of John Wayne Gacy in which he admitted killing 32 boys and young men and burying them under his home, or the war breaking out in Iran. We decided to just let you know what happened in the Casa Grande area.

Ranking number one was the Tison escape, in which Gary Gene Tison and Randy Greenawalt escaped from the Arizona State Prison on July 30 with the help of Tison's sons, Ricky, Donald and Raymond. During their 11 day spree, they allegedly killed a Texas couple which was



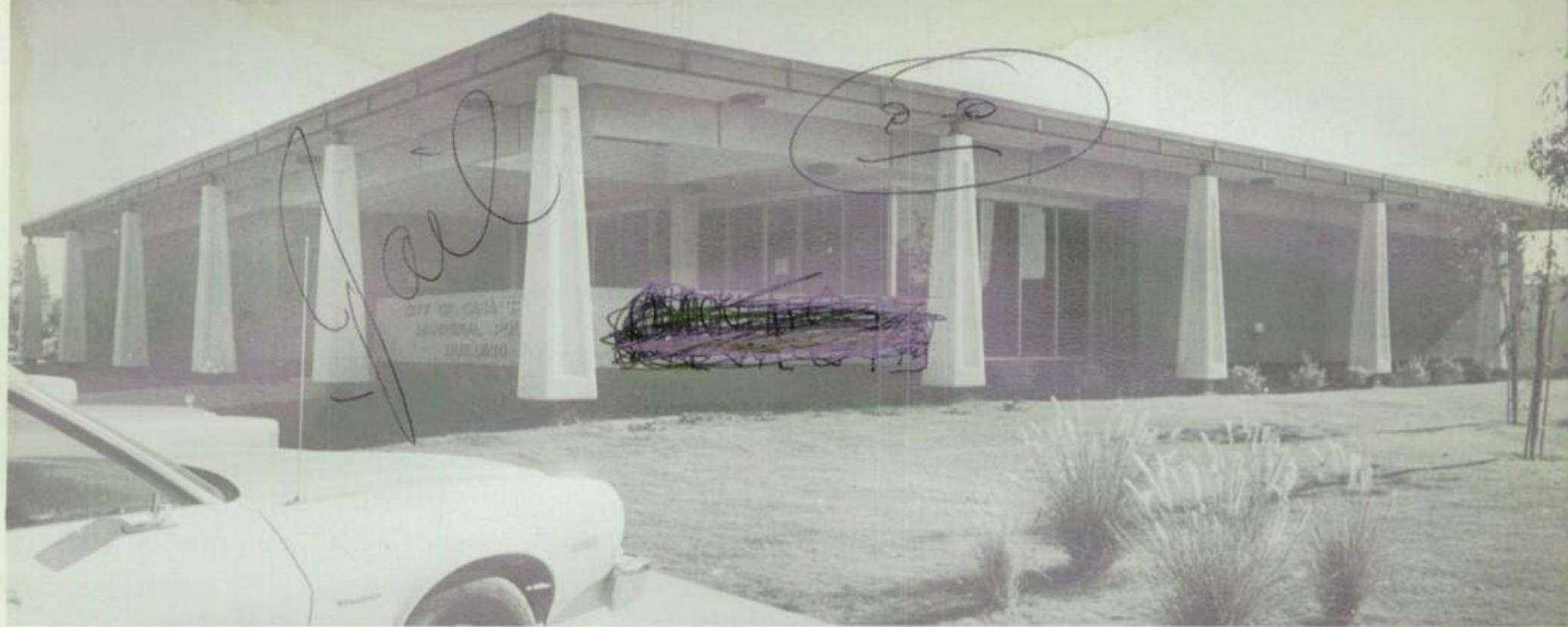
honeymooning in Colorado, a marine sergeant and his family in Quartzsite, near Yuma, and once they were captured, Ricky, the youngest brother escaped from the Pinal County jail, but was caught only 14 hours later in a maize field about a mile away. Donald Tison was killed at a roadblock near Chu Chui. Gary Tison was found dead 11 days later near a chemical plant.

Another tragic episode in '78 was the floods. First in March and then in December. Heavy rainfall prevailed over most of Arizona. President Jimmy Carter named 7 counties, Pinal included, as disaster areas, which enabled them for federal aide.

Ranking third in special events was the State Championship of the Cougar Baseball team. Under the coaching of Mr. Clint Myers, the Cougars defeated Coronado, 4-2, at Hohokam Park in Mesa for the title.

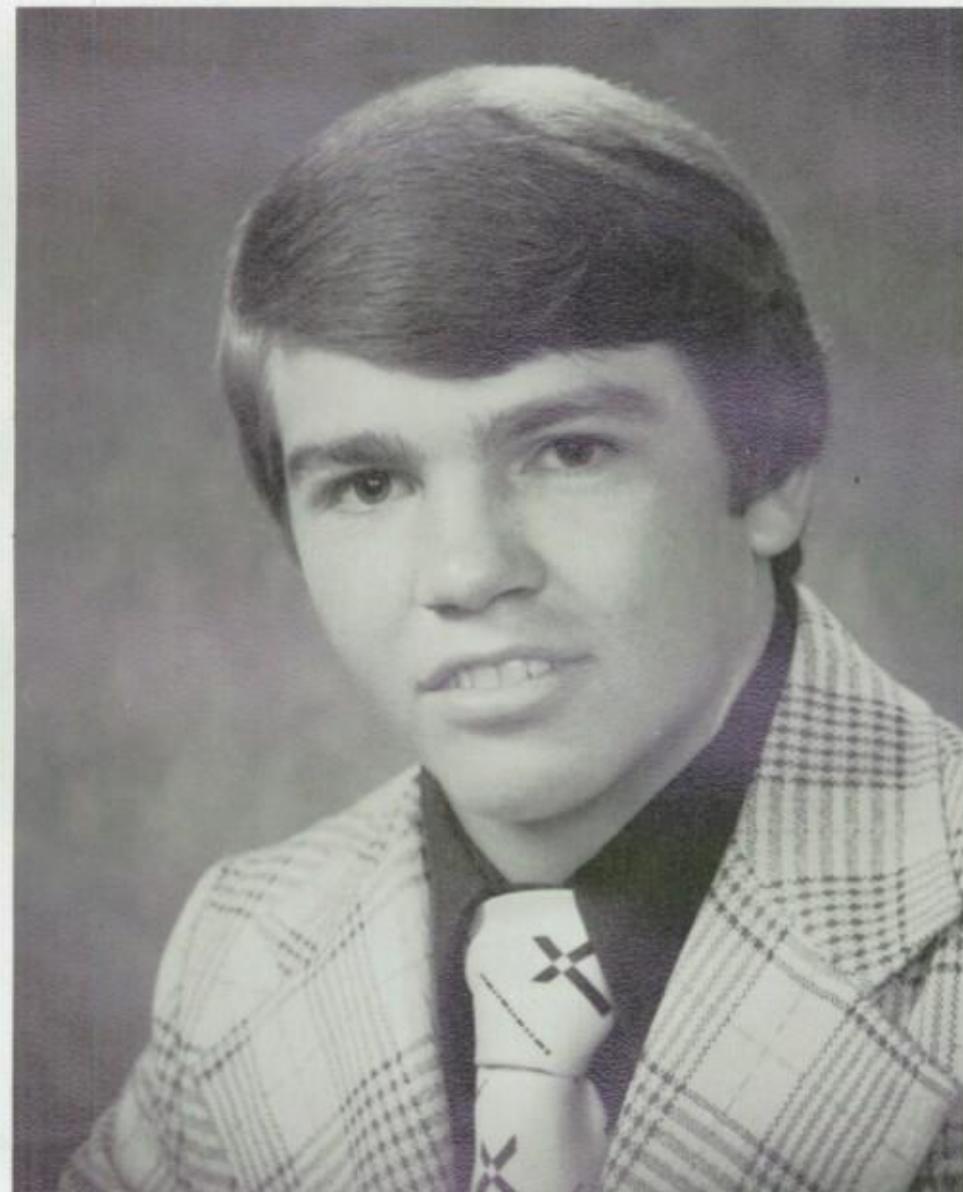
And coming around the corner in fourth place was the construction of the new police facility, which was valued at \$864,000. In place right after the police building was the Cougar Basketball team traveling to Hobbs, New Mexico, for the annual Hobbs Basketball Tournament in which the Cougars brought home third place.

With action like this in Casa Grande, who needs the problems going on anywhere else? We'll just hope that '79 doesn't have any gruesome tragedies as '78 did.



(Opposite page, top) Members of the '78 Cougar baseball team hold Coach Clint Myers in the air after the victory over Coronado, which gave them the state championship. (Left) Floods damaged a large portion of Arizona in November. Here shows the damage done to the Maricopa Area. (Far top) The new police building, valued at \$864,000, was completed in '78, after many years of planning. (Top) The "Tison Gang" had allegedly killed a Texas couple in Colorado and a marine sergeant and his family in Quartzsite. They were captured 11 days following the escape, and it cost the lives of Gary Tison and his son Donald.

Walton named Valedictorian, Boy of the Year; Cornelius is Salutatorian; Gibson, Girl of the Year



Grant Walton
Valedictorian, Boy of the Year.

Grant Walton has been named both valedictorian of the Class of '79' and Boy of the Year.

During his freshman year he was a member of the football, baseball and wrestling teams, the chorus and executive council. He completed his first of four consecutive years with a 4.0 grade point average. In addition, he was president of his age group in the LDS church, a title he kept for the next three years.

In his sophomore year, Grant played JV football and baseball. He was a member of the Key Club, concert choir, and executive council.

During his junior year Grant participated in varsity football and baseball. He was sergeant-at-arms of the Key Club, and a member of NHS, letterman's, and weight lifting. He won the outstanding junior award (U of A scholarship), and was a Boys' State Finalist.

In his senior year Grant was involved in varsity football and baseball, Key Club, NHS, ICC, letterman's, student council, and was Elks student of the month. He also received the most valuable player football award.

Determination of the valedictorian and salutatorian is made on the basis of seven semesters of academic work.



Diana Cornelius Salutatorian

Diana Cornelius, salutatorian of the class of '79, participated in both school and community activities. As a freshman she was involved in chorus, swim team, hostess club, and her church choir, an activity she continued for the next three years.

As a sophomore, she took part in varsity singers, hostess, and drama. She was in "Music Man" and was a section leader in choir. During her junior year Diana was a member of Blue Notes, chorale, swim team and NHS. She was secretary-treasurer of the hostess club and was listed in Who's Who in American High Schools. She had the lead role in "All American."

As a senior Diana participated in Blue Notes, chorale, and NHS. She was an Elks student of the month and accepted into Outstanding Young Americans. Diana had a lead role in CAC's "Fiddler on the Roof," and sang a solo which earned her a superior rating at the state festival all-district choir. Diana was accepted to sing with the Continental Singers and to tour Europe with them after graduation.



Katrina Gibson Girl of the Year

Katrina Gibson, girl of the year, has been involved in a variety of activities. During her freshman year she participated in band, chorus, and Pan-Am. She received an academic letter and an academic accomplishment award.

In her sophomore year Katrina was a member of the marching and symphonic bands and Pan-Am. She was on the executive council and received an academic pin.

During her junior year Katrina was involved in the symphonic band, varsity singers, Pan-Am, NHS, hostess, and reading tutoring.

As a senior, Katrina participated in the marching and symphonic bands, chorale, Pan-Am, and NHS (treasurer). She was president of the hostess club for one semester and worked as a reading tutor. Katrina was student of the month for the Business and Professional Women's Club, and was included in Who's Who Among American High School students. Katrina received a madrigal certificate and an Optimist youth award. Once again, she continued to be listed on the honor roll.

SENIORS

DAVID HUDSON



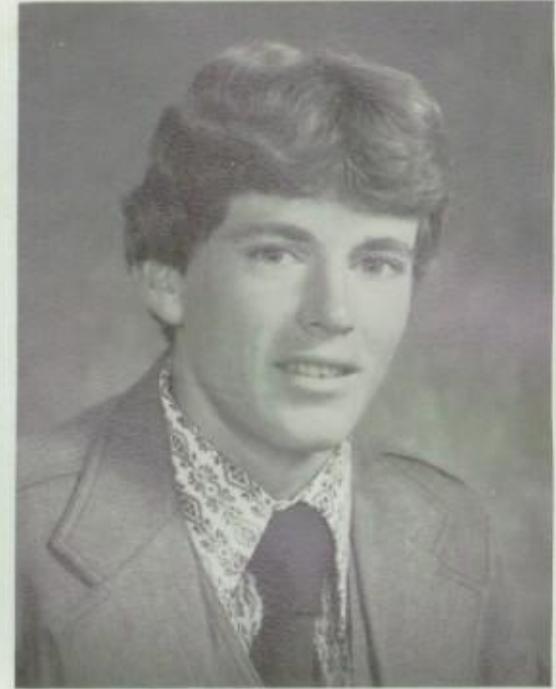
David Fitzgibbons

David Fitzgibbons has been very active in sports. During his freshman year he was a member of the football and wrestling teams, and also the boys' chorus, PanAm Club, AFS, and CYO.

During his sophomore year he was on the football team, in choir, Pan-Am, AFS, Key Club, and executive council. In addition, he was active in CYO, as he was during his junior and senior years.

In his junior year, David was on the football team, student council, AFS, Key Club, Letterman's Club, and Powerlifting Club. He was a representative to boys' state, was a member of the prom committee and played for the LDS Church basketball team.

During his senior year, David played football, served as student body chairman. He was president of the Key Club and received NAU's recognition of leadership. David was a Rotary student of the month and a member of the LDS basketball team. He played All-Valley football and was a member of letterman's and powerlifting clubs.



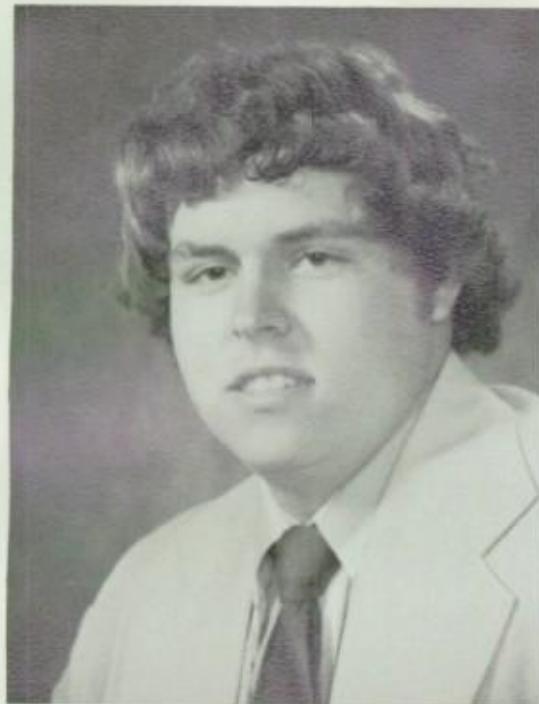
Dean Hudson

During his freshman year Dean Hudson was a member of the football, wrestling, and track teams. He was in the choirs and on the honor roll. He participated in the church choir for three years.

In his sophomore year Dean was in JV football, key club, choir and on the honor roll. He gave the invocation at the all-sports banquet.

During his junior year Dean was selected as boys' state alternate. He was a Member of NHS, Key Club president, and a member of the executive council. He was in the pantomime and played JV baseball and American Legion baseball.

In his senior year, Dean was a member of NHS, executive council and Key Club. He was secretary-treasurer of letterman's and played varsity baseball and Phoenix Winter League. He also won an Optimist Youth Appreciation Award.

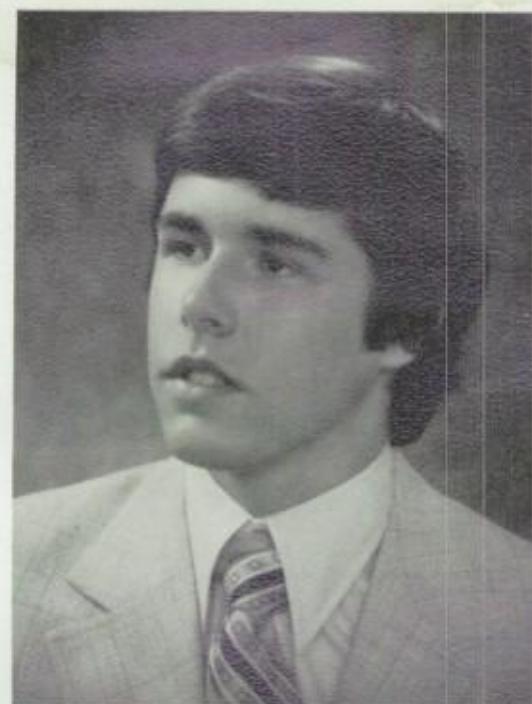


Russ Means

Russ Means has been active in sports. During his freshman year he was on the track team and was an eagle scout. In his sophomore year he competed on the JV football and varsity track teams. He was a member of the Key Club and AFS and was council rep.

During his junior year Russ participated in track, football, NHS, Letterman's, AIASA, and was boys' state representative. In the National Explorer Olympics he received gold medals in the shot-put.

During his senior year Russ served as student body president. He was a member of both football and track, in addition to NHS and letterman's. He was rotary student of the month, and president of the track club.



Mark Richmond

Mark Richmond has been active in both music and drama. During his freshman year he was a member of the concert band and placed first in the school for the Arizona Math Contest. He did the lighting for the drama.

In his sophomore year, Mark was a member of the marching and symphonic bands. He was the band's outstanding section leader and attended the central all-district orchestra. He headed several drama crews.

During his junior year Mark was president of the band, a member of marching and symphonic bands, and crew and lighting head for four drama selections. He also won the John Phillip Sousa National Bank Award.

In his senior year Mark was drum major, and again in the all-district band, as he was in his junior year. He was also a member of the TV studio production crew.



Kevin Sullivan

Kevin Sullivan has been active in both sports and music. During his freshman year he was a member of the tennis team, French club, marching, symphonic and concert bands, and active in his church group.

In his sophomore year Kevin played JV tennis, did sound for the dramas, and was a member of four bands. He was also active in church groups and choir, and softball, as he was for the next two years.

During his junior year Kevin played JV tennis, again did the sound, and participated in the bands. He was representative to boys' state. During his senior year Kevin was a member of Blue notes and chorale, and the quartet. He played varsity baseball and was football statistation. He was a member of NHS and the regional choir. He received a #1 rating on his vocal solo. He also played the lead in his church play.

SENIORS OUTSTANDING



Patricia Brewer

Patty Brewer has been active in drama and music for the past four years. During her freshman year she had a part in the musical "Bye, Bye, Birdie," and was member of both the girls' chorus and her church choir. She was also a swim maid and a member of the executive council.

During her sophomore year, Patty had the lead role in "Music Man." She sang in the varsity singers and her church choir, and won a silver medal at the State Solo Festival. She was also a member of the JV volleyball team.

In her junior year, Patty again sang with the varsity singers and with her church choir. In addition, she was a soloist at church. She competed as a member of the varsity softball and volleyball teams, and was a member of the Letterman's Club. She was selected as Girls' State alternate.

During her senior year, Patty was a member of both Blue Notes and Chorale. She won a gold medal at the State Solo Festival. She sang with her church choir and was a soloist there. Again, she was a member of the varsity softball and volleyball teams. She served as a member of the election commission and the National Honor Society.



Laura Bunnell

Laura Bunnell has bee active in a number of extracurricular and community-oriented projects. During her freshman year she was a member of the concert band, girls' chorus, and Pan-Am Club. She received an academic letter and was on the honor roll. Laura also received an academic accomplishment award. She also received the outstanding concert bandsman award, and was active in church activities.

During her sophomore year, Laura was a member of the marching and symphonic bands and the Pan-Am Club. Laura received a certificate of award scholarship and was listed on the honor roll. Once again, she participated in church activities.

In her junior year Laura participated in the marching and symphonic bands, varsity singers, Pan-Am Club, and NHS. She was active in church and made the honor roll. In addition she received the varsity singers section leader award and served as girls' varsity basketball statstation.

During her senior year Laura again partcipated in both marching and symphonic bands. She was a member of NHS, chorale, Pan-Am, and the JV tennis team. She was active in her church and was named student of the month by the Business and Professional Women's Club.



Diana Cornelius

Diana Cornelius had been involved in a number of school and community presentations. As a freshman she was a member of chorus, swim team (most improved swimmer), hostess club, and her church choir. During her sophomore year she was in "Music Man," section leader in choir, a varsity singer, and secretary of Hostess.

As a junior Diana was in Blue Notes, Chorale, swim team, Hostess, NHS, and a member of her church choir. She had the lead in "All American" and won number of singing awards. She also was section leader in choir and received best actress award.

During her senior year Diana was again a member of Blue notes, Chorale and NHS. She received a superior rating on a solo at the state festival, and had a lead in CAC's "Fiddler on the Roof." She was Elks Student of the month and accepted into Outstanding Young Americans. She was also accepted to sing with the Continental Singers after graduation.



Kristy Lunt

Kristy Lunt has been active in a variety of activities. As a freshman she was in Chorus, FHA, Pan-Am, and "Bye, Bye, Birdie." During her sophomore year Kristy was in varsity singer, Pan-Am, and varsity archery. She played Amarillias in "Music Man."

As a junior Kristy was in Blue Notes, Chorale, Pan-Am, FBLA, archery and was selected as girls' state representative. She was Agnes in "All American" and participated in the solo and ensemble festival.

In her senior year Kristy was in Blue Notes and Chorale, and FBLA secretary. She spoke to the American Legion Auxilliary and the Women's Club. Kristy again participated in the festival. She sang with the Blue Madrigals was a member of NHS and archery. She worked with other students at her church.



Sallie Modlin

Sallie Modlin, as a freshman, was active in chorus, FHS, and bat girls.

As a sophomore, she was in choraliars, pep club, election commission and a reading tutor. She was a pom pon and in her church choir. During her junior year Sallie was in varsity singers, election commission, executive council, NHS, prom committee and pep club. She was in her church choir.

During her senior year Sallie was an Elks student of the month and received an Optimist youth award. She served on the Homecoming committee and was captain of the poms. She was in chorale and NHS and also participated in the Junior Maid of Cotton Contest. She was also in the state solo and ensemble festival.

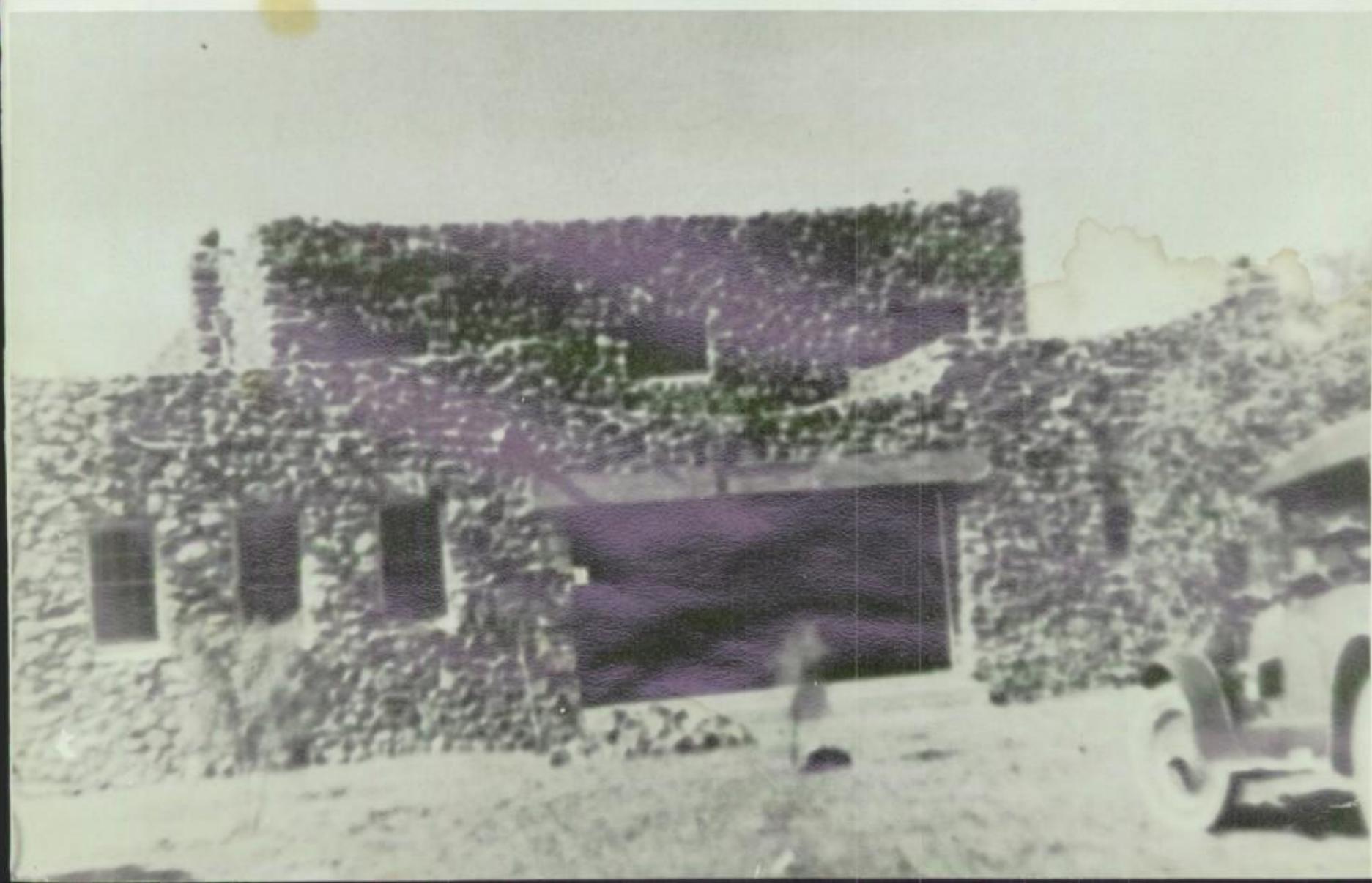


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(Opposite page, top) The old Casa Grande Depot as it stood in 1918. (Opposite page, bottom) A fire damaged many stores and shops on then, and now, Main Street. (Above) A street scene back in 1915. (Left) Montgomery Ward's, which was then called Ward's Variety Store, has since grown in size. (Below) The Women's Club, how it looked years ago. To this day the old rock building still sits there.





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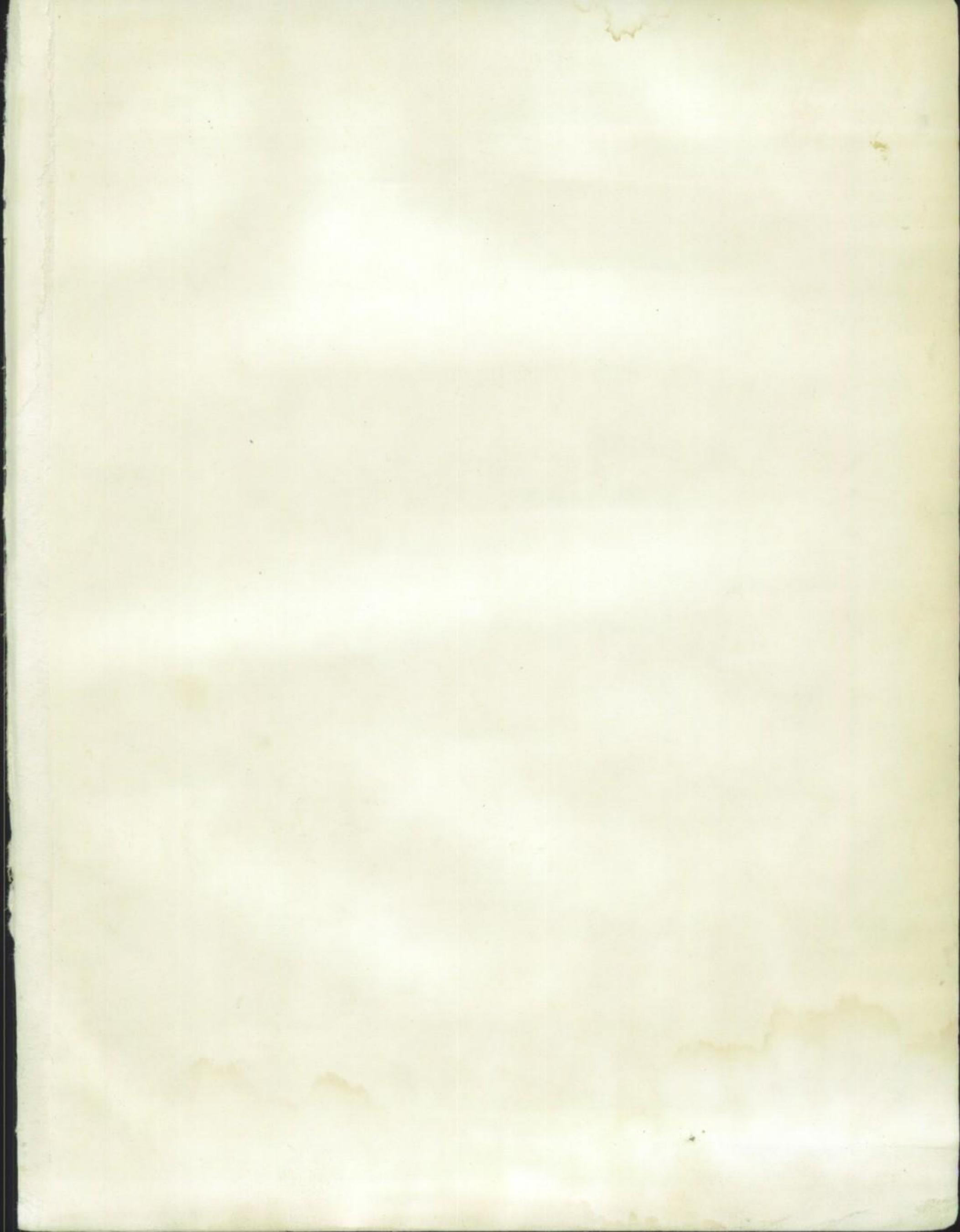
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Hi Angel,

I decided to write you another one just to say thanks for asking me to sign your annual. Good luck!! Stay cool & stay out of trouble!

A 7/9/17
from
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Lindholm





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The '79 Cougar

